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CHAPTER 95
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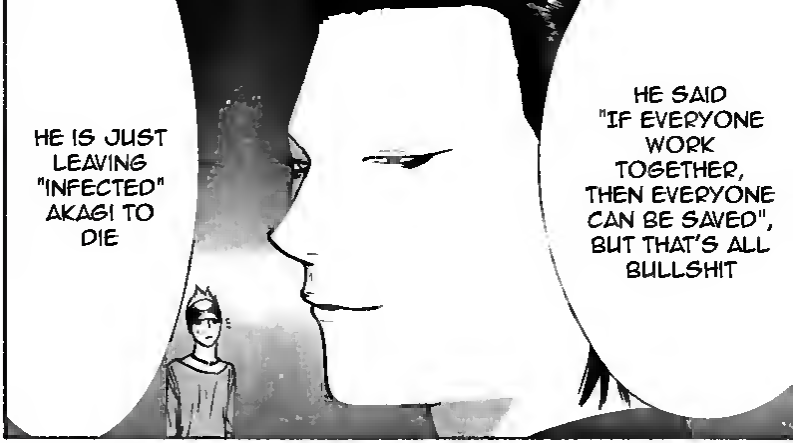
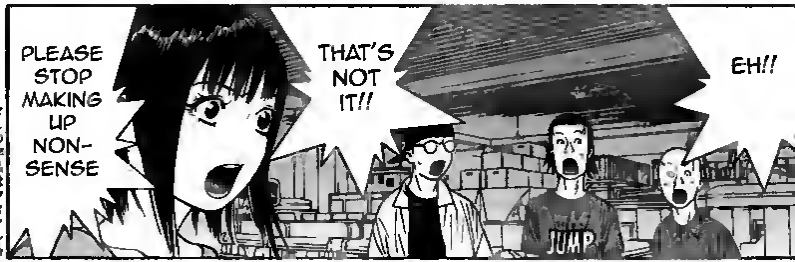
YOU GUYS WERE ALL TRICKED BY HIM
THIS GUY, AKIYAMA,
IS LYING
◆ヨコヤの反撃、漂う暗雲…
HA!?
!?
THE FIRST LIE
!!
THIS GUY TOLD THREE LIES
WAIT!! STOP TALKING NONSENSE YOKOYA-SAN
IT'S NOT NON-SENSE





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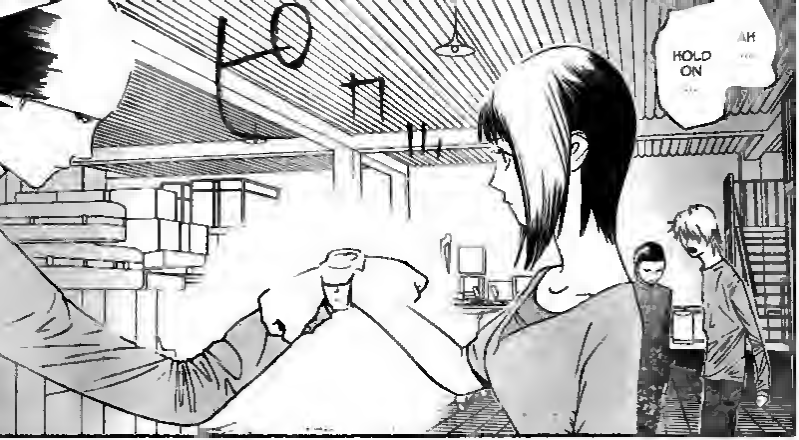
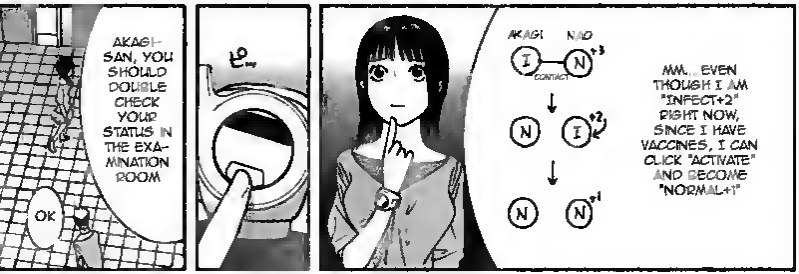

AH
HOLD ON


AKAGI-SAN, YOU SHOULD DOUBLE CHECK YOUR STATUS IN THE EXAMINATION ROOM
OK
AKAGI
NAO
I
N+3
CONTACT
N
I+2
N
N+1
MM... EVEN THOUGH I AM "INFECT+2" RIGHT NOW, SINCE I HAVE VACCINES, I CAN CLICK "ACTIVATE" AND BECOME "NORMAL+1"

NORMAL
正常＋1
ノーマル
AHH I'M "NORMAL" NOW
HOW IS IT?
GOOD
AT THE TIME, I DID NOT NOTICE

FU FU
SO PLEASE STOP SPEAKING NONSENSE
WITH THAT, AKAGI-SAN IS NO LONGER "INFECTED"
THAT I HAVE ALREADY FALLEN INTO YOKOYA'S TRAP ...
OH RIGHT
SHOULDN'T YOU GUYS "CONTACT"?
AND NOW, AKAGI-SAN CAN ALSO BECOME A "CONTACT" PARTNER AND HELP PRODUCE VACCINES
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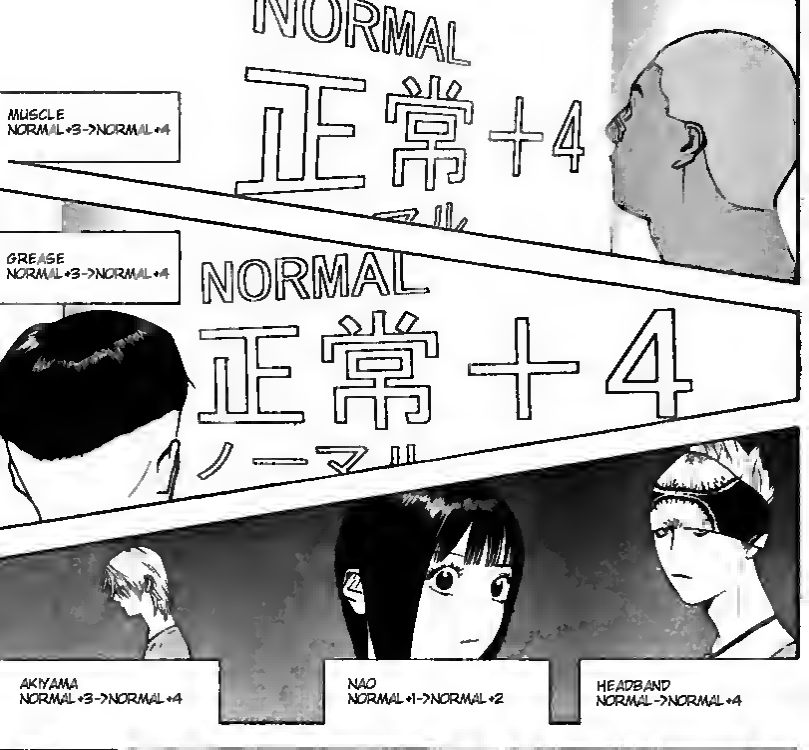

NORMAL
正常+4
MUSCLE
NORMAL+3->NORMAL+4
GREASE
NORMAL+3->NORMAL+4
NORMAL
正常+4
ノーマル
AKIYAMA
NORMAL+3->NORMAL+4
NAO
NORMAL+1->NORMAL+2
HEADBAND
NORMAL->NORMAL+4

!?
THE SECOND LIE IS THAT...
LIED ABOUT OTHER THINGS
AKIYAMA ALSO
HEH I'M NOT JUST WHINING
WHAT'S THIS ABOUT?
IN THE END, YOU JUST WANTED TO COME AND WHINE?

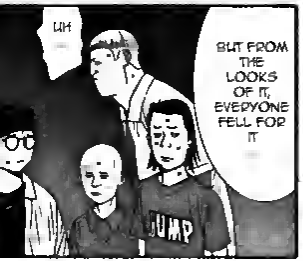
CAN'T REACT TO THE SIGNALS OF THE TRANS-MISSION DEVICE
THE SWING-ING BALL
LET ME BORROW THIS
!?
!?
YES
AH
SO THE BALL WITH LONG STRING SHOULD SWING RIGHT?
MUSCLE-SAN, YOUR STATUS SHOULD BE "NORMAL+4"
LET ME TRY IT

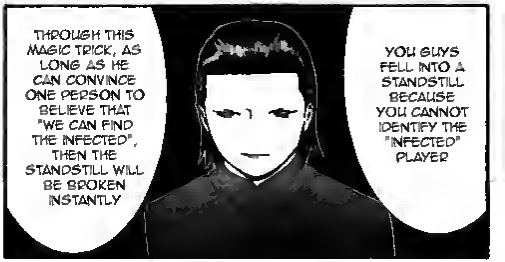
ブン…
BUT HOW ~~~!?
THE BALL WITH SHORT STRING MOVED ~~!?
AHH!!
LET US TRY AGAIN
KU KU KU
NO HOLD ON I REALLY AM "NORMAL"

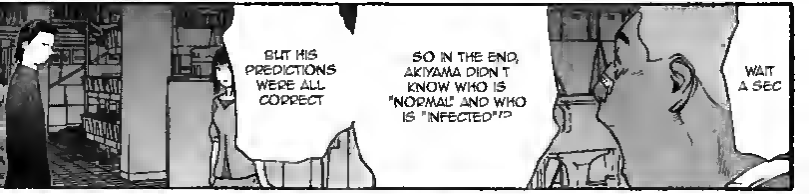
THE BALL WITH LONG STRING MOVED THIS TIME ~~!!
AHH!!
ブン
THIS IS JUST A TRICK WHERE THE BALL MOVES AT THE WILL OF THE HOLDER
THE SWINGING BALLS DOESN'T REACT TO THE SIGNALS AT ALL
GET IT NOW?
AS LONG AS YOU CAN FIND THE SWINGING PERIOD OF THE BALL YOU WANT TO MOVE, YOU CAN TWIST THE STICK AT THE SAME FREQUENCY TO PRODUCE LARGE MAGNITUDES OF MOVEMENT ON THAT BALL
ALTHOUGH THE BALLS LOOK STATIC IT'S ACTUALLY SLIGHTLY MOVING AND THE SWINGING PERIODS FOR BALL WITH LONG STRING AND BALL WITH SHORT STRING ARE DEFINITELY DIFFERENT
!?
.....
RIGHT? AKIYAMA-SAN
THIS IS A COMMON TRICKE USED IN MAGIC

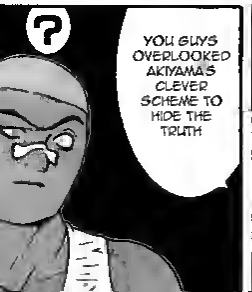
AKIYAMA'S TRICK
DID HE NOTICE ...
YOKOYA ...

THE TRIGGER TO BREAK THE STANDSTILL SITUATION
THIS IS ALL JUST A TRIGGER
AKIYAMA, WHY DID YOU DO THAT ...


UH ...
BUT FROM THE LOOKS OF IT, EVERYONE FELL FOR IT ...


THROUGH THIS MAGIC TRICK, AS LONG AS HE CAN CONVINCE ONE PERSON TO BELIEVE THAT "WE CAN FIND THE INFECTED", THEN THE STANDSTILL WILL BE BROKEN INSTANTLY
YOU GUYS FELL INTO A STANDSTILL BECAUSE YOU CANNOT IDENTIFY THE "INFECTED" PLAYER


BUT HIS PREDICTIONS WERE ALL CORRECT
SO IN THE END, AKIYAMA DIDN'T KNOW WHO IS "NORMAL" AND WHO IS "INFECTED"!?
WAIT A SEC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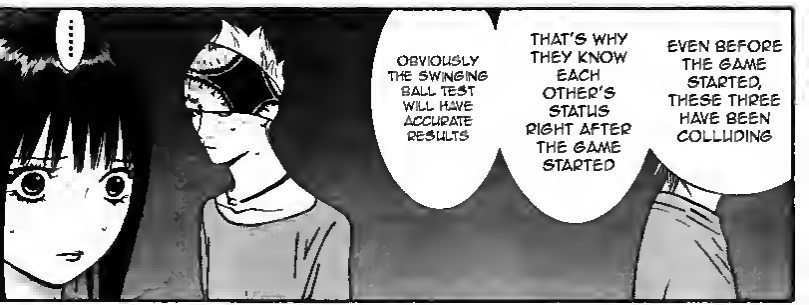
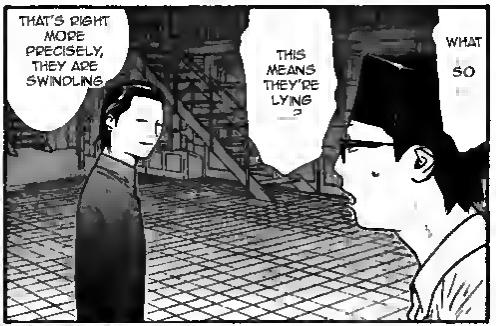
YOU GUYS OVERLOOKED AKIYAMA'S CLEVER SCHEME TO HIDE THE TRUTH

KU KU KU
ISN'T THIS TOO ACCURATE TO BE JUST A MERE GUESS?
HEAD-BAND CON-FESSED TO BEING "INFECTED"
RIGHT, I AM ACTU-ALLY A "NORMAL"

SO LOOKING BACK, WHY DID YOU GUYS AGREE TO TAKE THE SWINGING BALL TEST?
WELL ....
AKIYAMA ASKED "WHO WANTS TO TAKE THE SWINGING BALL TEST?" ... SO I VOLUNTEERED
ME TOO
SAME FOR THESE TWO?
THOSE TWO
AH NO
ACTUALLY, AKIYAMA FIRST PERFORMED THE SWING-ING BALL TEST ON HIS OWN WATCH
THEN, HE SUDDENLY GRABBED AKAGI'S HAND AND TOLD HIM TO TAKE THE TEST
THEN, HE ALSO UNEXPECTED CHOSE KANZAKI-SAN TO TAKE THE TEST...
KU KU KU
AND THAT'S AKIYAMA'S THIRD LIE





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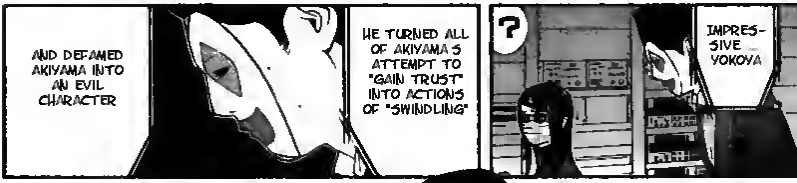
BUT IN REALITY, YOU'VE BEEN FOOLED ABOUT EVERY-THING

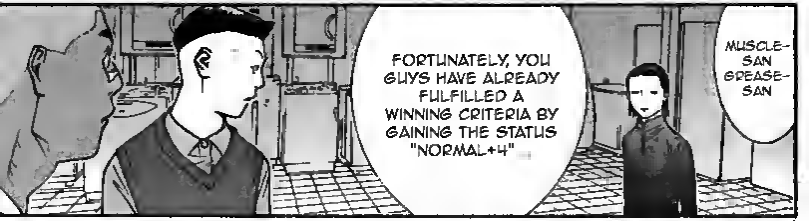

AND DEFAMED AKIYAMA INTO AN EVIL CHARACTER
HE TURNED ALL OF AKIYAMA'S ATTEMPT TO "GAIN TRUST" INTO ACTIONS OF "SWINDLING"
?
IMPRES-SIVE... YOKOYA

THE SEQUENCE OF ACTIONS AKIYAMA TOOK AFTER WERE ALSO VERY CLEVER
HE WASN'T JUST SWINDLING

"WHO WANTS TO TAKE THE SWINGING BALL TEST NEXT?"
THEN HE SAID
ACTING LIKE HE IS INDIFFERENT TOWARDS THE "INFECTED" AKAGI AND GIVING HIM THE COLD SHOULDER
CONVERSELY, IT'S IMPOSSIBLE FOR MUSCLE AND GREASE, WHO AGGRESSIVELY VOLUNTEERED TO TAKE THE TEST, TO BE AN "INFECTED"
...
THAT'S WHAT HE DEDUCED
SINCE IF OTHERS FIND OUT HE IS "INFECTED", HE WILL BE ABANDONED LIKE AKAGI
THIS WAY, THE "INFECTED" PLAYER WILL NOT COME FORWARD
AM I RIGHT? AKIYAMA-SAN
EVEN SAW THROUGH THIS MOVE
PER-FECT
LIED TO US
EVEN YOU
SO THAT'S HOW IT IS

IT'S TRUE THAT THE THREE OF US ARE WORKING TOGETHER AND THAT THE SWINGING BALL TEST WAS JUST A SHAM
THAT'S NOT IT!!
I AM SINCERE ABOUT THIS
I ONLY DID THIS TO SAVE THE 9 PLAYERS HERE
BUT PLEASE BELIEVE ME ON ONE THING
!!
WHO KNOWS?
.....
.....
THAT'S HOW YOU CRITICIZED ME EARLIER, BUT YOUR ACTIONS ARE NOT ANY MORE RESPECTABLE THAN MINE
BUT IN THE END, YOU STILL MADE AN ALLIANCE IN SECRET AND LIED TO EVERYONE ELSE
WHAT YOU SAY SOUNDS GREAT SUDE

!!
WHICH MEANS, WE STILL DON'T KNOW WHO AMONGST THE REMAINING 4 PLAYERS IS "INFECTED"
... ANYWAYS, THOUGH MUCH HAS HAPPENED, IT IS PROVEN THAT AKIYAMA'S SWINGING BALL TEST IS A SHAM


FORTUNATELY, YOU GUYS HAVE ALREADY FULFILLED A WINNING CRITERIA BY GAINING THE STATUS "NORMAL+4"
MUSCLE-SAN GREASE-SAN

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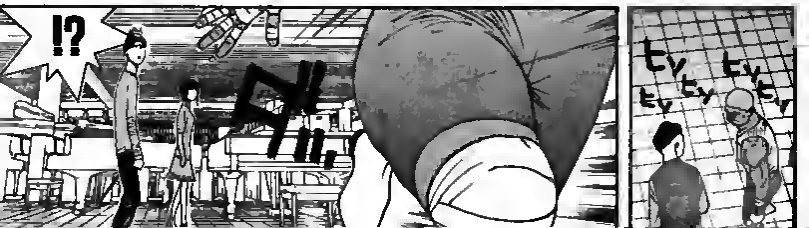
WHAT WILL YOU GUYS DO NOW?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WE WILL NOT TEAM UP WITH ANYONE ANYMORE!!
WE WANT OUT!!
WE WON'T TRUST ANYONE EITHER!!
.....
WE WILL NOT "CONTACT" WITH ANYONE OR GET INVOLVED!!
WE'LL JUST STAY UP HERE AND WATCH YOU GUYS PLAY!!
FROM NOW ON, DO WHATEVER YOU GUYS WANT!!

... WHICH MEANS YOU GUYS LOST TWO IMPORTANT MEMBERS TO HELP PRODUCE VACCINES
HA-- HA HA YES THAT'S RIGHT
YOU GUYS NO LONGER HAVE TO TAKE ON ANY RISKS
.....
IT'S NOT EASY TO LET EVERYONE WIN
... FU FU FU FU
ALTHOUGH I WANT TO SAY THAT
AS EXPECTED OF YOKOYA
UH— MM
HE WAS ABLE TO COMPLETELY STOP THE FLOW OF THE GAME
IMPRESSIVE
BUT THE POINT IS, THE 3 PLAYERS IN YOKOYA'S GROUP ARE ONLY "NORMAL+2"
IT'S TRUE THAT YOKOYA'S SMOOTH-TALKING MADE IT HARD FOR THE REMAINIG 4 PLAYERS
BUT IT'S ... TOO LATE

……
HIS OVER-WHELMINGLY DIS-ADVANTAGEOUS POSITION REMAINS UNCHANGED
BUT THAT'S NOT TRUE
AFTER CALMING DOWN AND THINKING CAREFULLY, YOKOYA-SAN SHOULD ALSO BE VERY NERVOUS AND ANXIOUS
THAT'S WHAT I THOUGHT AS WELL
HAVE YET TO BEGUN
YOKOYA-SAN'S TRUE RETALIATION
YOKOYA HIS TRUE STRENGTH
LIAR GAME
END

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YOKOYAMA-SAN CAUGHT ON TO HIS TRICK AND STOPPED US ON THE ROAD TO VICTORY
ALTHOUGH AKIYAMA'S SWINGING BALL TEST HAVE ALLOWED THE GAME TO PROGRESS
AND NOT ONLY THAT
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MUSCLE-SAN AND GREASE-SAN, WHO ARE BOTH "NORMAL +4" NOW, HAVE STOPPED TRUSTING OTHERS
THEY DECLARED THAT THEY ARE OUT OF THIS GAME
WE WANT OUT!!
◆秋山の策、崩壊!!!
AKIYAMA'S PLAN, CRUMBLED!!!

IKEZEWATEBBEI (FATTY)
NORMAL+2

OOTSUKAEIICHI (BANGS)
NORMAL+2

KAWAITATSUYA (MUSCLE)
NORMAL+4

AKAGIKOUTA (HEADBAND)
NORMAL+4

YOKOYANORIHIKO (SNEAK)
NORMAL+2

SAEKIKIYOSHI (GREASE)
NORMAL+4

KANZAKINAO (ONLY GIRL)
NORMAL+2

AKIYAMASHINICHI (EX-CON)
NORMAL+4

COMPLICATED
AND
TWISTED
THOUGHTS
.....

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CHAPTER 98. INTENT

最新情報を携帯でお届け!
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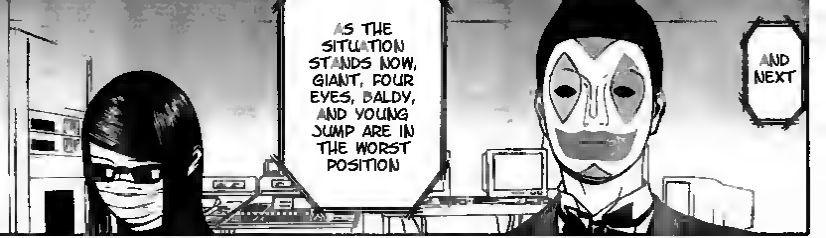
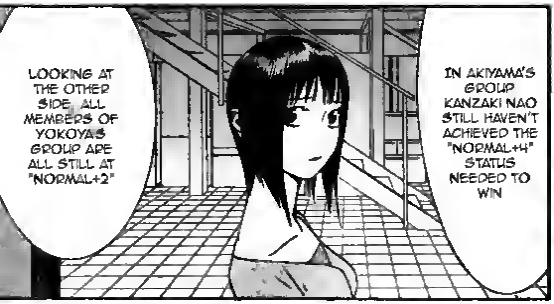
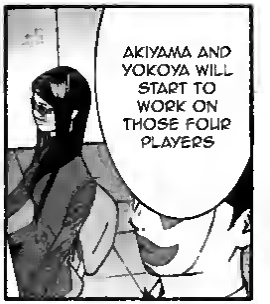

AS THE SITUATION STANDS NOW, GIANT, FOUR EYES, BALDY, AND YOUNG JUMP ARE IN THE WORST POSITION
AND NEXT

NOW, WE ARE SURE THAT THERE'S NO WAY TO FIND "INFECTED" PLAYERS. THE FOUR PLAYERS ARE BACK TO THE STATE WHERE THEY REFUSE TO "CONTACT" WITH ANYONE.
NONE OF THESE GUYS OBTAINED ANY VACCINES. ON TOP OF THAT, THERE'S AN "INFECTED" AMONGST THEM


LOOKING AT THE OTHER SIDE, ALL MEMBERS OF YOKOYA'S GROUP ARE ALL STILL AT "NORMAL+2"
IN AKIYAMA'S GROUP KANZAKI NAO STILL HAVEN'T ACHIEVED THE "NORMAL+4" STATUS NEEDED TO WIN


AKIYAMA AND YOKOYA WILL START TO WORK ON THOSE FOUR PLAYERS

A GROUP CAN WIN ONLY IF THEY SUCCESSFULLY BREAK DOWN THOSE FOUR PLAYERS' PSYCHOLOGICAL DEFENSE
NOW BOTH GROUPS WILL TRY TO PULL THOSE FOUR PLAYERS

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SO NEXT
YOU FOUR GUYS ARE THE ISSUE
NOW
WHAT DO YOU GUYS INTEND TO DO?
INTEND TO DO
FU FU FU
JUST LIKE BEFORE, WE WILL JOIN FORCES TO PRODUCE VACCINES, AND EVERYONE WILL WIN IN THE END
DO YOU EVEN HAVE TO ASK!!
EH?
?
WHAT YOU JUST SAID
WOULD IT WORK?

YOU WILL NOT BE ABLE TO MAKE SUCH AN IMPORTANT DECISION WITH THE STATE YOU ARE IN RIGHT NOW!!
LISTEN UP! ALL OF YOU! DUE TO THE COMPLICATIONS OF RECENT EVENTS, YOU HAVE ALL FELL INTO CONFUSION!!

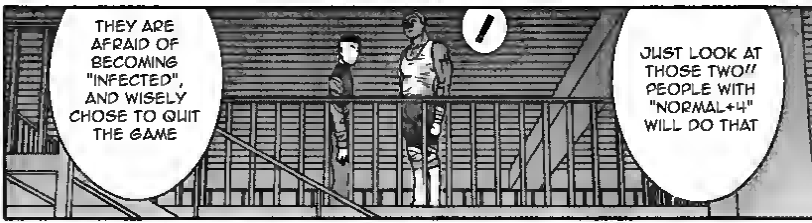
REASSESS WHAT ARE THE "FACTS" AND "ASSUMPTIONS"
THEN
THERE'S STILL PLENTY OF TIME LEFT ... SO PLEASE JUST CALM DOWN FIRST

THE THREE OF YOU WON THE SIMULATION, AND HAVE YET TO "CONTACT" WITH ANYONE EXCEPT THE THREE MEMBERS OF YOUR OWN GROUP
AH ... THAT'S TRUE
... FU FU FU ... IN OTHER WORDS ...
THE THREE OF US ARE "NORMAL +2"
?
ASSUM-PTIONS
FACTS
FACT #1!!

WE WILL NEED ALLIES TO WIN
... THAT'S ALSO A FACT
MM?
!!
HAA
THERE ARE OTHER FACTS
THE TWO PLAYERS WHO ANNOUNCED THAT THEY ARE QUITTING THE GAME ARE ALSO "NORMAL+4" THAT IS A FACT
YEA
THEY WOULDN'T HAVE DONE THAT IF THEY'RE NOT "NORMAL+4"
IF THOSE TWO ARE "NORMAL +4", THEN AKIYAMA AND HEADBAND ARE ALSO "NORMAL+4"
THAT'S ALSO A FACT, OR ELSE IT WOULD BE CONTRA-DICTORY
THAT'S RIGHT!!
PRE-CISELY!!
WHICH MEANS

...
THIS IS JUST AN ASSUMPTION
AKIYAMA AND HEADBAND WOULD TAKE ON A HUGE RISK TO HELP OTHERS

OH OH!!
HA?
!!
!!


THEY ARE AFRAID OF BECOMING "INFECTED", AND WISELY CHOSE TO QUIT THE GAME
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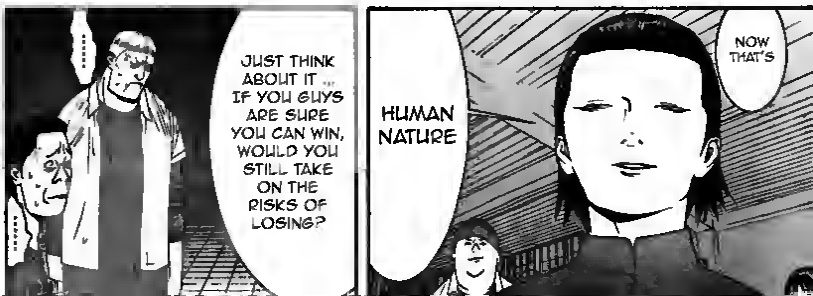
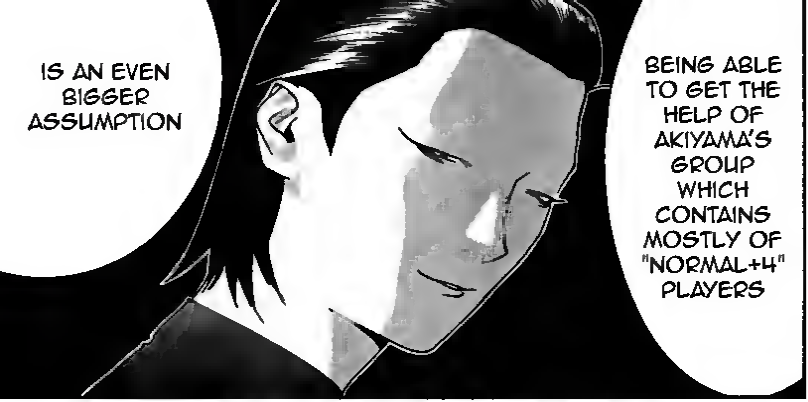
JUST LOOK AT THOSE TWO!! PEOPLE WITH "NORMAL+4" WILL DO THAT

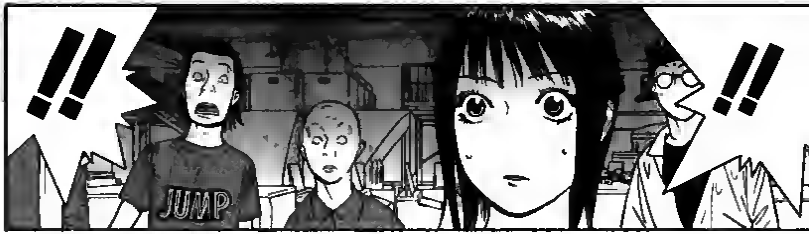

JUST THINK ABOUT IT ... IF YOU GUYS ARE SURE YOU CAN WIN, WOULD YOU STILL TAKE ON THE RISKS OF LOSING?
HUMAN NATURE
NOW THAT'S


IS AN EVEN BIGGER ASSUMPTION
BEING ABLE TO GET THE HELP OF AKIYAMA'S GROUP WHICH CONTAINS MOSTLY OF "NORMAL+4" PLAYERS

WE WILL DEFINITELY HELP THOSE FOUR GUYS!!
IT'S NOT!!

EH
THE SWINGING BALL TEST IS A HOAX RIGHT?
KANZAKI-SAN IS "NORMAL+2" ... DO WE KNOW THIS FOR SURE AS A FACT?
EVERY-ONE, DON'T BE FOOLED
WE'RE PARTNERS. IN ORDER FOR ME TO WIN, WE WILL NEED MORE ALLIES!!
BE-CAUSE I'M STILL "NORMAL +2"!!
KU KU KU

HE COULD ACTUALLY BE "NORMAL"
EVEN THOUGH AKAGI WAS SHOWN TO BE "INFECTED" IN THE SWINGING BALL TEST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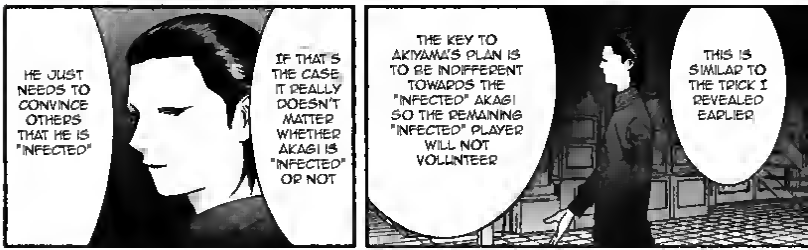
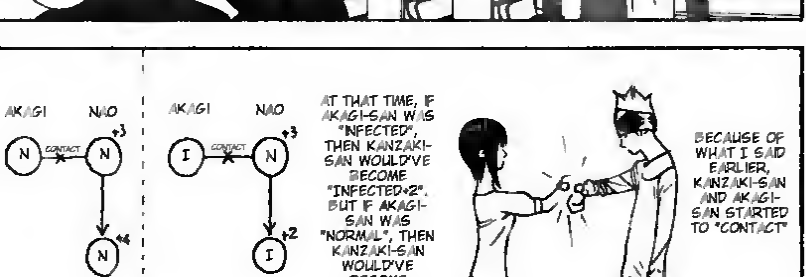
JUMP


HE JUST NEEDS TO CONVINCE OTHERS THAT HE IS "INFECTED"
IF THAT'S THE CASE IT REALLY DOESN'T MATTER WHETHER AKAGI IS "INFECTED" OR NOT
THE KEY TO AKIYAMA'S PLAN IS TO BE INDIFFERENT TOWARDS THE "INFECTED" AKAGI SO THE REMAINING "INFECTED" PLAYER WILL NOT VOLUNTEER
THIS IS SIMILAR TO THE TRICK I REVEALED EARLIER

OHH!
!!
!!

THINK BACK AGAIN
IT'S NOT CONTRA-DICTORY AT ALL
ISN'T... ISN'T THAT CONTRA-DICTORY!?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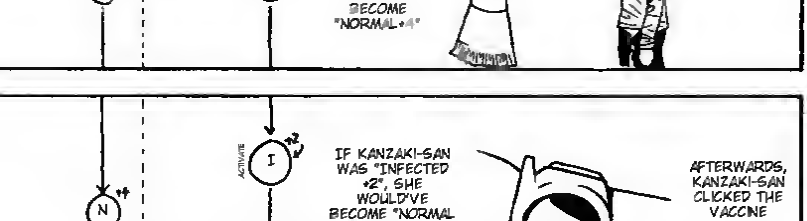
+3
+4
I
+2
AT THAT TIME, IF AKAGI-SAN WAS "INFECTED", THEN KANZAKI-SAN WOULD'VE BECOME "INFECTED+2". BUT IF AKAGI-SAN WAS "NORMAL", THEN KANZAKI-SAN WOULD'VE BECOME "NORMAL+4"
BECAUSE OF WHAT I SAID EARLIER, KANZAKI-SAN AND AKAGI-SAN STARTED TO "CONTACT"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NO CHANGE
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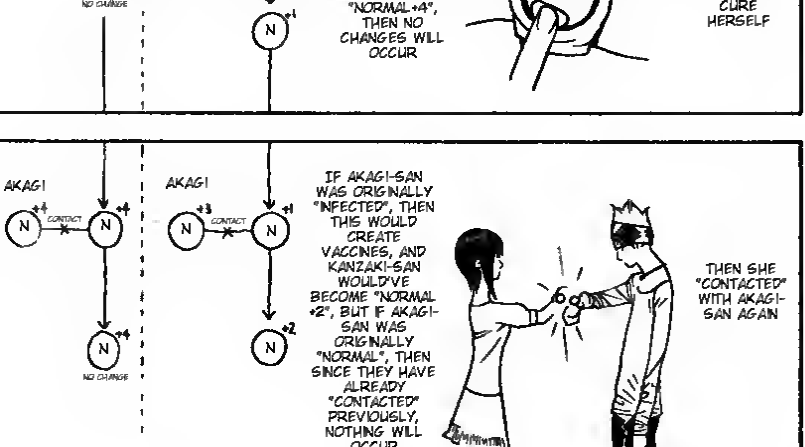
I
+2
+1
IF KANZAKI-SAN WAS "INFECTED +2", SHE WOULD'VE BECOME "NORMAL +1". IF SHE WAS "NORMAL+4", THEN NO CHANGES WILL OCCUR
AFTERWARDS, KANZAKI-SAN CLICKED THE VACCINE BUTTON TO CURE HERSELF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CONTACT
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NO CHANGE
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IF AKAGI-SAN WAS ORIGINALLY "INFECTED", THEN THIS WOULD CREATE VACCINES, AND KANZAKI-SAN WOULD'VE BECOME "NORMAL +2", BUT IF AKAGI-SAN WAS ORIGINALLY "NORMAL", THEN SINCE THEY HAVE ALREADY "CONTACTED" PREVIOUSLY, NOTHING WILL OCCUR
THEN SHE "CONTACTED" WITH AKAGI-SAN AGAIN

I'M NOT!! I'M ONLY "NORMAL+2"!! I DIDN'T LIE!!
SO IT'S HIGHLY POSSIBLE THAT KANZAKI NAO IS "NORMAL +4" ----
AH
UH
YOU DON'T HAVE ANY WAY OF PROVING THIS
THOUGH THAT'S WHAT YOU CLAIM. IT'S A PITY THAT AFTER WE EXAMINED THE EVENTS FROM THE BEGINNING, WE FIND THAT ...
WHICH MEANS
IF KANZAKI-SAN IS "NORMAL+4", THAT MEANS AKABI-SAN IS ORIGINALLY "NORMAL"
AND THERE'S SOMETHING EVEN WORSE ...
!!
TWO OF THE FOUR REMAINING PLAYERS ARE "INFECTED"!!

CAN THIS REALLY BE A FACT?
PLEASE CALMLY THINK ABOUT IT. FOR THREE "NORMAL+4" PLAYERS TO ALLY THEMSELVES WITH FOUR PLAYERS WHILE TWO OF WHICH MAY BE "INFECTED" ACCEPTING A HUGE RISK JUST SO EVERYONE CAN WIN ...
WHAT YOU SHOULD GO BY IS PRECISE CAL-CULATION
ACTING ON EMO-TIONS WILL SURELY LEAD TO DEFEAT
FU FU FU THIS IS LIAR GAME
THAT IS A FACT...
BUT YOKOYA NEEDS ALLIES...
EVEN THOUGH I DON'T WANT TO JOIN YOKOYA'S GROUP...
TO TURN THE GAME AROUND!!
USING HIS OWN UNFA-VORABLE POSITION
INCRE-DIBLE YOKOY!!
FORMI-DABLE!!

ARE YOU GUYS GOING TO JOIN YOKOYA'S GROUP? OR STAY IN AKIYAMA'S GROUP?
SO LET ME ASK YOU GUYS THIS!!
IF YOU WANT TO JOIN YOKOYA'S GROUP, GET OVER HERE RIGHT NOW!!
PLEASE MAKE YOUR DECISION IN 10 SECONDS
7 ...
8 ...
.....
9 ...
10 ...

!!
6 ...
5 ...
YOUNG JUMP
IN THE END, IT'S ...
LOST FOR SURE ...
ONLY "NORMAL +2" KANZAKI WILL LOSE HERE!!
WHAT A COME BACK BY YOKOYA'S GROUP. THE GAME IS SET ~~~~ ~~~!!
AHH!! THE REMAINING FOUR PLAYERS ALL JOINED YOKOYA'S GROUP ~~!!

THIS IS THE IDEAL VICTORY I HAD IN MIND
KU KU KU IT'S NOW SET IN STONE
AND YET AKIYAMA CAN DO NOTHING BUT SEE IT HAPPEN .... KU KU KU
IN AKIYAMA'S GROUP, ONLY KANZAKI WILL DISQUALIFY
KU KU KU THAT'S WHAT YOU GET AKIYAMA!! GO TO HELL AKIYAMA!!
THIS SITUATION IS EVEN MORE PAINFUL FOR AKIYAMA THAN HE HIMSELF LOSING
O!!
1 ...
2 ...

JUMP
!!
!!
I WANT TO STAY IN AKIYAMA'S GROUP ...
... ER ... I
!!
EH!!

THANK YOU!! THANK YOU!! FOUR EYES-SAN
AH AHH
I PROMISE WE'LL LEAD EVERYONE TO VICTORY!! I PROMISE!!
ONLY FOUR EYES STAYED
OHH
KEEP STRUGGLING HELPLESSLY AND SUFFER!! KU KU KU
JUST REPENT IN THE REMAINDER OF THIS GAME!!
KANZAKI NAO'S DEFEAT IS ALREADY DETERMINED ... KU KU KU WHAT'RE YOU GOING TO DO!? AKIYAMA ...
AKIYAMA, CAN'T RETALIATE ...!!?
◆秋山、反撃不能…!!?
EVEN THOUGH ONE PERSON STAYED, KANZAKI CAN ONLY BECOME "NORMAL+3"
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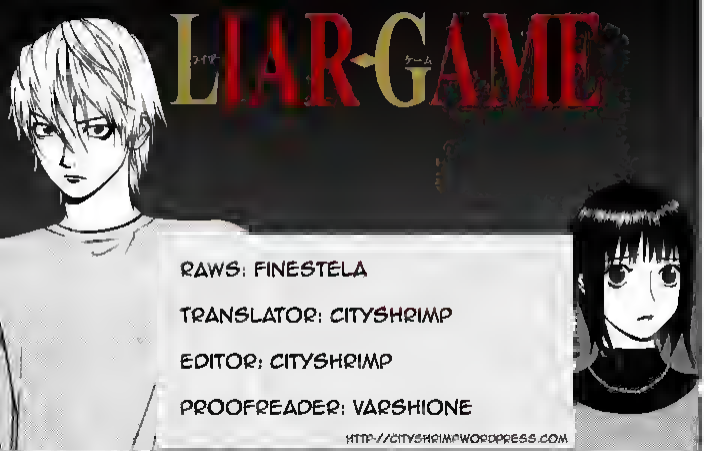
LIAR GAME
END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YOKOYA'S SMOOTH TALKING HAS GOTTEN TO THE FOUR PLAYERS AND THEY ALL RUSHED TO YOKOYA'S GROUP ... JUST WHEN I WAS THINKING THAT ...
THE PANDEMIC GAME HAS BECOME A BATTLE BETWEEN AKIYAMA'S GROUP AND YOKOYA'S GROUP FOR THE REMAINING FOUR PLAYERS
◆ヨコヤの反撃で ゲームは大きく動く!!

*YOKOYA'S COUNTERATTACK HAVE DRAMATICALLY PROGRESSED THE GAME

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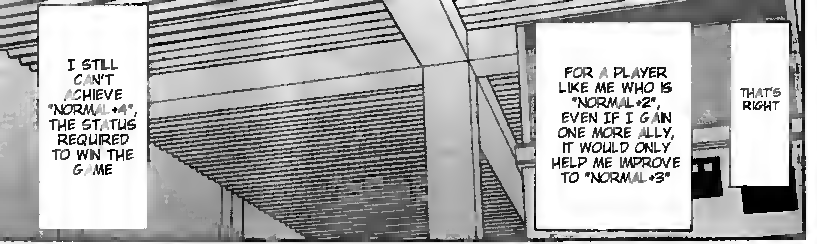
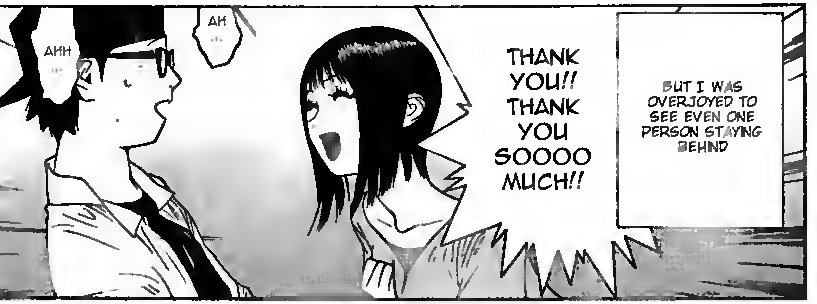
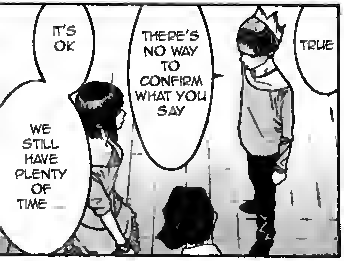

I STILL CAN'T ACHIEVE "NORMAL+4", THE STATUS REQUIRED TO WIN THE GAME
FOR A PLAYER LIKE ME WHO IS "NORMAL+2", EVEN IF I GAIN ONE MORE ALLY, IT WOULD ONLY HELP ME IMPROVE TO "NORMAL+3"
THAT'S RIGHT

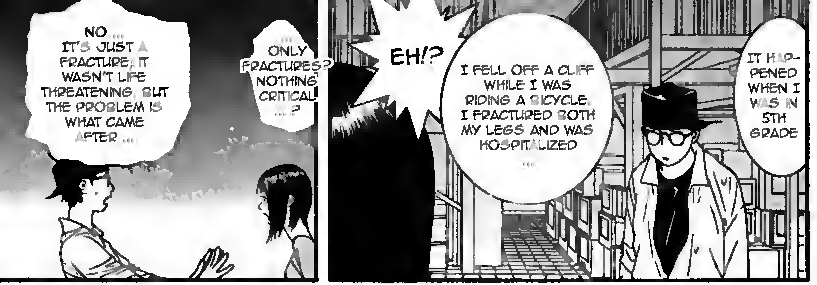

AHH ...
AH ...
THANK YOU!! THANK YOU SOOOO MUCH!!
BUT I WAS OVERJOYED TO SEE EVEN ONE PERSON STAYING BEHIND


IT'S OK
THERE'S NO WAY TO CONFIRM WHAT YOU SAY
TRUE
WE STILL HAVE PLENTY OF TIME ...

ALTHOUGH I DON'T KNOW WHETHER YOU GUYS CAN BELIEVE ME OR NOT
"NOR-MAL"
LET ME ASK YOU SOMETHING SO WHAT'S YOUR STATUS?

ACCORDING TO YOKOYA-SAN, IF YOU ACT ON CALCULATION AND LOGIC, THEN YOU SHOULD JOIN YOKOYA'S GROUP ... SO WHY?
THE REAL QUES-TION IS
WHY DO YOU WANT TO STAY IN OUR GROUP?

ABOUT HOW ... "EVERYONE SHOULD HELP EACH OTHER"
WHAT YOU SAID DURING THE SIMULATION GAME ...
KEPT THINKING ABOUT
WELL, I ...
ACTUALLY I ...
AH ...
.....
DIED ONCE
EH!?


NO ... IT'S JUST A FRACTURE, IT WASN'T LIFE THREATENING. BUT THE PROBLEM IS WHAT CAME AFTER ...
... ONLY FRACTURES? NOTHING CRITICAL ...?
EH!?
I FELL OFF A CLIFF WHILE I WAS RIDING A BICYCLE. I FRACTURED BOTH MY LEGS AND WAS HOSPITALIZED ...
IT HAP-PENED WHEN I WAS IN 5TH GRADE

I WAS HOSPITALIZED IN THE CHILDREN'S INFIRMARY. THE PATIENTS ARE ALL CHILDREN 15 YEARS OR YOUNGER

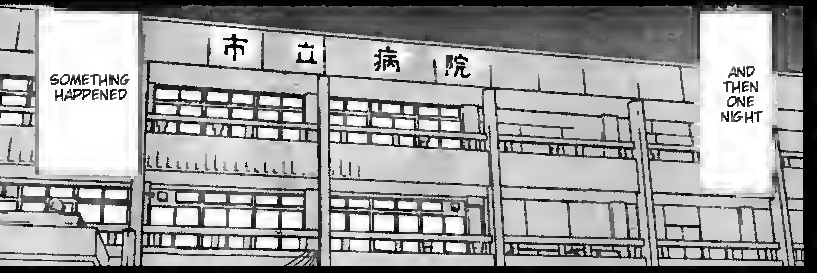
I'M TAMOTSU, IT'S NICE TO MEET YA!!
OH!!
IT WAS A FOUR-PERSON ROOM
ONE OF THE PATIENTS IS A 6TH GRADER NAMED TAMOTSU, WHO IS OVER FRIENDLY EVEN TO STRANGERS

NICE TO MEET YOU
THE ONE OVER THERE IS JUNTA
THAT'S TSUYO-SHI
four-eyes ever since grade school
AHH ...

YOU GOT THAT!?
... ANYWAYS, STARTING TODAY, YOU'RE ALSO A MEMBER OF TAMOTSU'S GROUP!!
I'VE ALREADY STAYED AT THIS HOSPITAL FOR 3 MONTHS, SO I KNOW MY WAY AROUND THE PLACE
HA?
AT THE TIME, I WAS STILL JUST A STUBBORN, COLD KID
I DETEST THESE POMPOUS TYPES
now there's a new kid in Tamotsu's group
AND WHAT'S GOING ON HE SAID HE ALREADY STAYED HERE FOR 3 MONTHS BUT HE'S FULL OF ENERGY
WHAT THE HELL!? ALL OF A SUDDEN HE THINKS HE'S THE BOSS
IF YOU DON'T UNDERSTAND ANYTHING, DON'T HESITATE TO ASK
BUT I BEGAN TO JUDGE PEOPLE FROM A HARSH AND TWISTED PERSPECTIVE
I'M NOT SURE WHEN IT STARTED
I WAS HORRIBLE IN BOTH SPORTS AND ACADEMICS I HAD NO STRENGTHS AND I WAS AN UNNECESSARY EXISTENCE IN CLASS
MAYBE THAT'S HOW THINGS REALLY ARE

BUT TAMOTSU WAS NOT TAKEN ABACK BY MY PERSONALITY, AND WOULD ALWAYS COME OVER
HEY!! WANT TO EAT THIS?
NO
WHAT HAP-PENED TO YOUR LEGS? FRAC-TURE? HOW LONG DOES IT TAKE TO HEAL?
SO ANNOY-ING
AT 1 O'CLOCK TONIGHT, THERE'S GOING TO BE AN ADULT SHOW ON TV LET'S WATCH IT TOGETHER
NOT INTERESTED IF WE WATCH TV AFTER LIGHTS OUT THE HEAD NURSE WILL GET MAD

OH~~ SO AWE-SOME ~~
SO WILD ~~
SO ANNOYING ~~ STUPID KIDS
REALLY DON'T WANT TO BE HERE WITH THEM ~~~~


AND THEN ONE NIGHT
市立病院
SOMETHING HAPPENED

LIKE USUAL I WENT TO USE THE BATHROOM BEFORE I SLEEP
SINCE BOTH MY LEGS ARE INJURED IT'S DIFFICULT FOR ME TO WALK TO THE BATHROOM
SIGH ~~ WHY HAVEN'T MY LEGS HEALED YET
EVEN NUMBER ONE TAKES ME 20 MINUTES
MM?

NO WAY!?
WARD 3'S BOILER IS ON FIRE---!!
FIRE--!! FIRE--!!
ISN'T THAT HERE!!
HOLD ON. WARD 3
PLEASE DO NOT RUN!!
IF YOU CAN MOVE ON YOUR OWN, PLEASE LEAVE IMMEDIATELY!! GO DOWN THE CENTER STAIRCASE AND YOU'RE SAFE!!
THAT'S DAN-GEROUS!!

HOW ABOUT PATIENTS WHO ARE STILL IN THE ROOMS?
HOLD ON
HO
WHAT ABOUT PA-TIENTS WHO CAN'T GET UP?
THERE'S TWO ON THE FIRST FLOOR OF THIS WARD, BUT THEY ALREADY LEFT
WE'RE SPLITTING UP TO CHECK NOW!!
CHILDREN'S ROOMS 1 TO 5 ARE ALSO CLEAR!!
I'M HERE!!
I'M ... STILL HERE ...
ROOMS 501 TO 507 ARE CLEAR!!
SAVE ME -------!!
I CAN'T WALK!!
HELP!!
OK!!
OK!! EVERYONE GET OUT OF HERE!! YOU GUYS SHOULD GO TOO!!

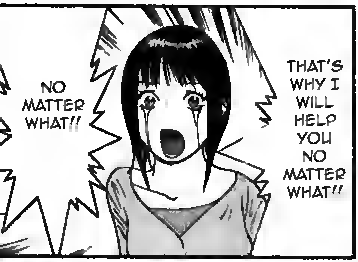
SO YOU'RE HERE!
I DIDN'T SEE YOU OUTSIDE, AND THOUGHT YOU MIGHT BE HERE SO I RAN BACK
YOU ALWAYS USE THE BATHROOM 30 MINUTES BEFORE BEDTIME
I REMEMBER THIS HABIT OF YOURS VERY WELL
TAMOTSU-KUN
YOU ACTUALLY RAN BACK INTO THE FIRE
THAT'S TOO DANGEROUS
STU~~~PID
HOW CAN I LEAVE YOU BEHIND JUST TO SAVE MYSELF

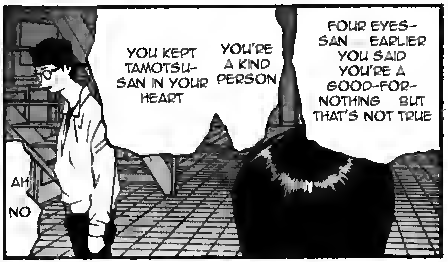
EVERYONE SHOULD HELP EACH OTHER OUT
MEMBER OF TAMOTSU'S GROUP ARE ALL PARTNERS
TAMO-TSU-KUN
...
THE CENTER STAIRCASE IS ALREADY FILLED WITH SMOKE. LET'S GO TO THE ROOF FIRST AND GO DOWN THE EMERGENCY STAIRS IN THE EAST WING
ALL RIGHT!! LET'S RUN FOR IT!!
WHAT TAMOTSU SAID AT THE TIME
I CAN'T FORGET
BACK THEN, IF TAMOTSU DID NOT COME BACK FOR ME, I PROBABLY WOULD'VE DIED
I WAS SAVED

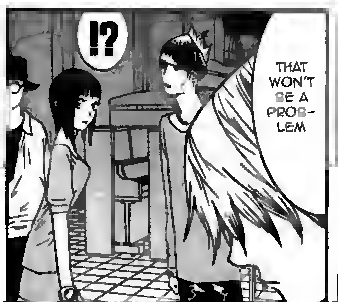
"IN TAMOTSU'S GROUP, WE'RE ALL PARTNERS, EVERYONE SHOULD HELP EACH OTHER OUT" ...
THOSE WORDS
.....
WHAT A GOOD GUY
TAMO-TSU-SAN
!!
IT WAS CAN-CER
AT THE AGE OF 14
HE DIED A YEAR LATER
HOW'S TAMOTSU-SAN DOING NOW?
I OFTEN THINK
A GOOD GUY LIKE TAMOTSU DIED WHEN HE'S ONLY 14 ...
YET A GOOD-FOR-NOTHING LIKE MYSELF IS STILL ALIVE
THIS WORLD IS TOO UNFAIR

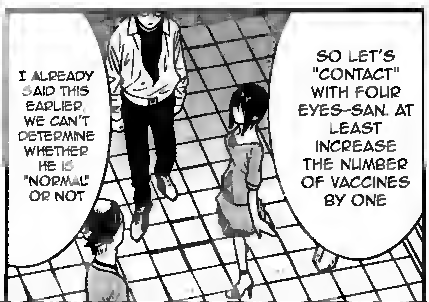
I FELT THAT IF I IGNORE YOUR WORDS AND JOIN YOKOYA — TAMOTSU'S SPIRIT WILL NOT FORGIVE ME
THAT S WHY WHEN YOU SAID "EVERYONE SHOULD HELP EACH OTHER"

*THOSE ARE SOME FAST TEARS!




YOU KEPT TAMOTSU-SAN IN YOUR HEART
YOU'RE A KIND PERSON
FOUR EYES-SAN — EARLIER YOU SAID YOU'RE A GOOD-FOR-NOTHING BUT THAT'S NOT TRUE
AH NO




I ALREADY SAID THIS EARLIER WE CAN'T DETERMINE WHETHER HE IS "NORMAL" OR NOT
SO LET'S "CONTACT" WITH FOUR EYES-SAN. AT LEAST INCREASE THE NUMBER OF VACCINES BY ONE

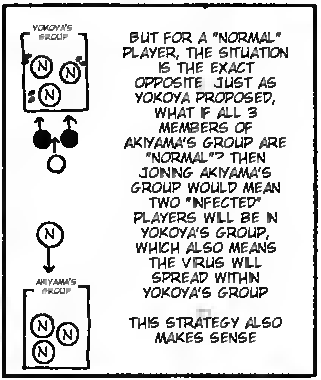
THERE'S NO DOUBT
FOUR EYES IS "NORMAL"
EH!?
!
HA
PEOPLE WHO CAN SYMPATHIZE WITH HER WORDS ARE NOT LIARS
BE-CAUSE HE SAID HE S "NORMAL" AND
REA-SON BE-ING?
OF COU-RSE
YOU REALLY BELIEVE ME?
!!
LET'S "CONTACT"

ビヤ
TO BE TRUSTED
FEELS PRETTY GOOD
OK!! NOW WE CAN "CONTACT" WITHOUT WORRY!
I'M "NORMAL+5" ... WHICH MEANS FOUR EYES REALLY IS "NORMAL"
AH
AH ... PLEASE CONFIRM IN THE EXAMINATION ROOM
AKIYAMA-SAN BELIEVED IN FOUR EYES-SAN
?
THANK GOODNESS
WHILE AKIYAMA-SAN AND AKAGI-SAN BECAME "NORMAL+5"
AND SO BOTH FOUR EYES-SAN'S AND MY STATUS BECAME "NORMAL+3" ....

I HAVE EVIDENCE THAT PROVES FOUR EYES IS "NORMAL". THAT'S WHY I DID THAT
ACT-UALLY
IT'S NOT THAT I TRUST HIM

EH!?

THAT'S WHY I WAS ALMOST CERTAIN THAT FOUR EYES IS "NORMAL" ALSO. IF I GIVE HIM MY "TRUST", WE CAN EXPECT HIM TO BECOME A PARTNER ON THE LONG RUN


YOKOYA'S GROUP
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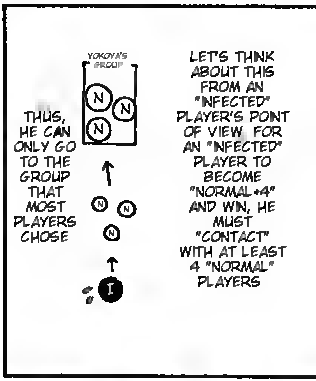
BUT FOR A "NORMAL" PLAYER, THE SITUATION IS THE EXACT OPPOSITE JUST AS YOKOYA PROPOSED, WHAT IF ALL 3 MEMBERS OF AKIYAMA'S GROUP ARE "NORMAL"? THEN JOINING AKIYAMA'S GROUP WOULD MEAN TWO "INFECTED" PLAYERS WILL BE IN YOKOYA'S GROUP, WHICH ALSO MEANS THE VIRUS WILL SPREAD WITHIN YOKOYA'S GROUP
THIS STRATEGY ALSO MAKES SENSE


THUS, HE CAN ONLY GO TO THE GROUP THAT MOST PLAYERS CHOSE
YOKOYA'S GROUP
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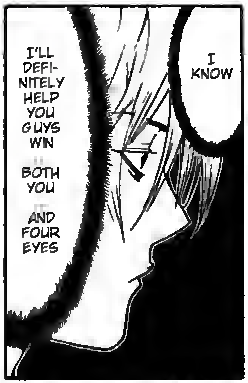
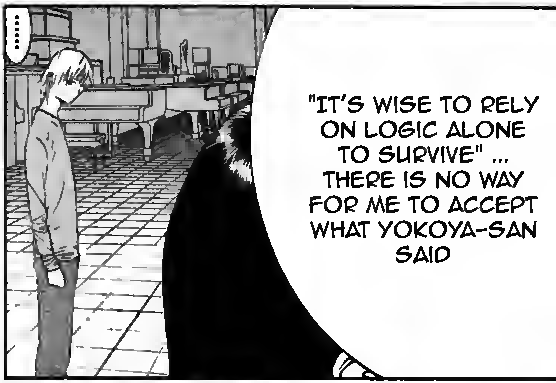
I
LET'S THINK ABOUT THIS FROM AN "INFECTED" PLAYER'S POINT OF VIEW. FOR AN "INFECTED" PLAYER TO BECOME "NORMAL+4" AND WIN, HE MUST "CONTACT" WITH AT LEAST 4 "NORMAL" PLAYERS

BUT THIS IS NOT THE REAL REASON WHY AKIYAMA-SAN BELIEVED HIM
SURE, THIS MAKES LOGICAL SENSE

?
HE HE
HE HE
HE
HE

IT'S BECAUSE FOUR EYE-SAN'S WORDS TOUCHED AKIYAMA-SAN'S HEART
THAT'S WHY YOU BELIEVED HIM
HEY HEY
HA?
IT'S OK
I CLEARLY UNDER-STAND
AKIYAMA-SAN IS A SHARP CLEVER TACTICIAN, BUT THERE'S A MAJOR DIFFERENCE BETWEEN YOU AND YOKOYA-SAN
YOKOYA-SAN IS VERY COLD, BUT AKIYAMA-SAN GIVES OTHERS A WARM FEELING
WARM FEEL-ING?
ME?
YUP
IF AKIYAMA-SAN IS LIKE YOKOYA-SAN, WHO ONLY ACTS ON REASON AND LOGIC ALONE,
THEN YOU WOULD'VE ALREADY GIVEN UP ON SOMEONE LIKE ME
HA HA
AKIYAMA-SAN





*THE GAME WILL BE DECIDED IN THE FINAL ROUND!!

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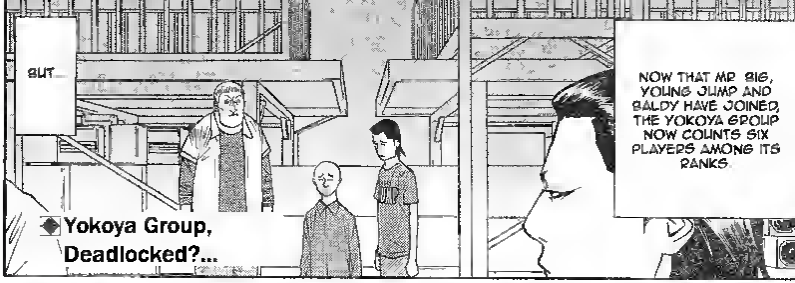
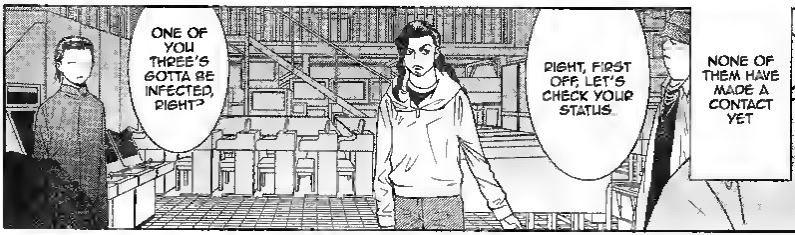
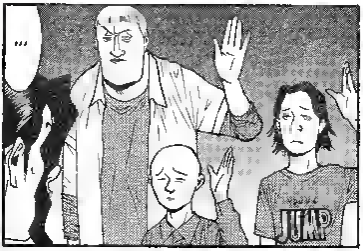
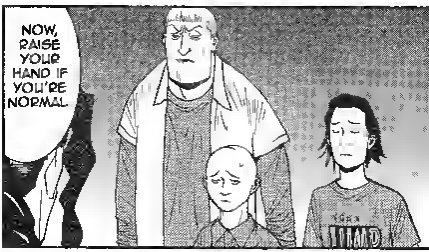


◆Yokoya Group, Deadlocked?...







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UH...
ARE YOU TRYING TO DRIVE THEM TO THE AKIYAMA GROUP?
IF YOU TALK LIKE THAT, THE INFECTED WILL HAVE EVEN LESS REASON TO REVEAL THEMSELVES.
THIS TURN OF EVENTS COULD PROVE QUITE A DILEMMA...
IT'S THEORETICALLY POSSIBLE THAT ALL THREE OF YOU ARE NORMAL, BUT IT'S JUST AS LIKELY THAT AS MANY AS TWO OF YOU ARE INFECTED.
PLENTY OF TIME TO MAKE CONTACTS, I SHOULD THINK?
THERE'S STILL ONE MORE PERIOD TO GO.
THEN WE'LL KNOW FOR A FACT JUST HOW MANY INFECTED ARE AMONG US.
WITH THE SECOND PERIOD ABOUT TO END, WE COULD JUST WAIT FOR THE RESULTS TO COME UP.
SO, WHAT SHALL WE DO?

OUR GROUP ALSO APPEARS TO BE AT A DEADLOCK...
SO...
...WHAT DO WE DO NOW?
HEY...
SIGH...
EARLIER ON, AKIYAMA SAID THAT...
"THIS IS A GAME ABOUT TRUST.
A GAME THAT ASKS HOW MUCH TRUST YOU CAN PUT IN OTHERS... AND HOW YOU CAN GET OTHERS TO PUT THEIR TRUST IN YOU."
HUH
...
SINCE THEN...
I'VE BEEN THINKING A LOT ABOUT...
THE MEANING OF "TRUST".

AKI-YAMA
AT THE START OF THE GAME, AKAGI TOLD US HE WAS INFECTED...
?
TELL ME... WHY WOULD WE BELIEVE HIM SO EASILY?
THAT'S RIGHT... YOU GUYS PRETTY MUCH TOOK IT FOR GRANTED I WAS TELLING THE TRUTH.
IT'S SIMPLE.
AKAGI GAVE UP HIS CHANCE TO DROP OUT AT THE END OF THE THIRD ROUND SO HE COULD JOIN US IN THE FOURTH.
THERE'S ALSO THE FACT THAT ADMITTING HE WAS INFECTED WOULDN'T HAVE HELPED HIM AT ALL...
IF HE HAD ONLY BEEN THINKING OF HIMSELF, HE WOULD HAVE HIDDEN THE FACT THAT HE WAS INFECTED AND INSISTED HE WAS NORMAL INSTEAD.
ADMITTING HE WAS INFECTED WOULD BE THE NEXT BEST THING TO SUICIDE - THE OTHER PLAYERS WOULD SHUN HIM FOR THE REST OF THE GAME.
...
...BUT HE SAID IT ANYWAY
BECAUSE HE KNEW HE COULD COUNT ON US, THE FIRST THING HE THOUGHT OF WAS COMING TO US FOR HELP
THAT'S HOW THINGS WORK.

SO IF AKAGI COULDN'T HAVE BENEFITED FROM TELLING US HE WAS INFECTED, THAT MEANS HE TRUSTS US?
HE MIGHT COME OUT AHEAD IN THE SHORT-TERM, BUT HE'D LOSE THE OTHER PLAYERS' TRUST IN THE PROCESS.
TO LOOK AT IT ANOTHER WAY, IF THERE WAS SOME ANGLE HE WAS TRYING TO WORK HERE, THE OTHER PLAYERS WOULD GET SUSPICIOUS OF HIM.
HO!
...TELL US HOW WE MIGHT WIN THIS GAME?
BUT DOES ANY OF THAT...

...I KNOW IT MIGHT SOUND CRAZY, BUT...
ANY IDEA WHAT WE SHOULD DO, THEN?
I WANT TO TRY AND GET BUTCH AND SLICK TO HELP US OUT.
!?
FOR NOW...
BUTCH AND SLICK ARE ALREADY AT NORMAL+4, SO THEY HAVE NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT. IF YOU ASK EITHER ONE FOR THEIR HELP, THEY'RE SURE TO GIVE IT TO YOU!
FOUR-EYES CAN'T REACH NORMAL+4 STATUS AND WIN WITHOUT THE HELP OF ANOTHER NORMAL PLAYER.
IT WON'T DO ANY GOOD.
...THANKS FOR THE THOUGHT, BUT...
...

IF THEY CAN'T BE ABSOLUTELY SURE I'M NORMAL, THERE'S NO WAY I'LL BE ABLE TO GET THEIR HELP.
THOSE TWO WITHDREW FROM THE GAME BECAUSE THEY DIDN'T WANT TO RISK GETTING INFECTED...
!?
IF THEY KNEW FOR A FACT THAT YOU'RE NORMAL, THEN THEY WOULDN'T RISK ANYTHING BY HELPING YOU, RIGHT?
IT CAN STILL WORK!
YEAH, BUT...
SO SINCE WE'VE ALL TRADED CONTACTS, THAT PROVES THAT YOU MUST BE NORMAL! IF WE EXPLAIN THAT TO THEM, THEN THEY'LL UNDERSTAND!
THAT FLASH IS HARD TO MISS
THERE'S NO WAY THOSE TWO COULDN'T HAVE SEEN IT.
WE'VE ALL MADE CONTACT WITH EACH OTHER, RIGHT?
IT WON'T HELP YOU ANY, EITHER.
ANY HELP THEY GIVE WOULD ONLY BENEFIT ME
YOU'VE ALREADY MADE VACCINES WITH THE BOTH OF THEM.
...YOU STILL WON'T BE ABLE TO GET THOSE TWO TO HELP

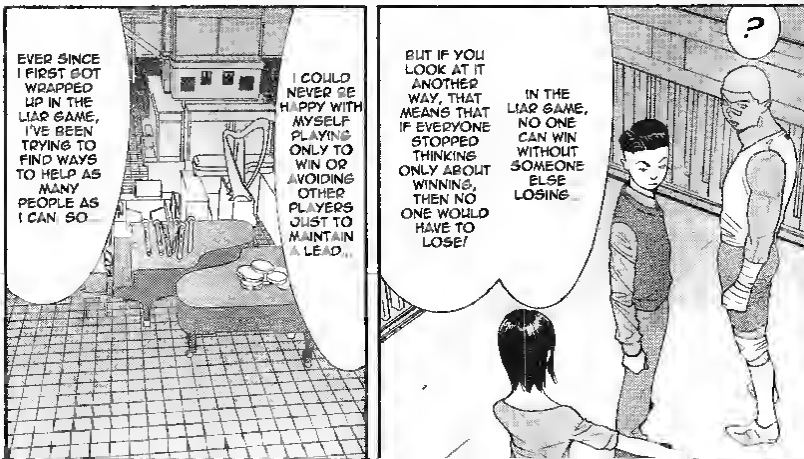
AND THAT'S WHAT TRUST IS ABOUT!
IF I GO TO ASK THEM ON YOUR BEHALF, WITHOUT ANY PERSONAL MOTIVES AT ALL, THEY'RE SURE TO TRUST US!
AND THEN, MAYBE
SO THIS WILL WORK!
YOU SAID IT YOURSELF, FOUR-EYES. I WON'T GET ANYTHING OUT OF TRYING TO GET THEM TO HELP.
IT'S LIKE WE TALKED ABOUT EARLIER PEOPLE WON'T TRUST SOMEONE WHO HAS AN ULTERIOR MOTIVE FOR WHAT THEY DO, BUT THEY WILL TRUST SOMEONE WHO ACTS SELFLESSLY.
THE THREE WHO JOINED THE YOKOYA GROUP MIGHT SEE IT AND COME BACK TO OUR SIDE!
DOING SOMETHING'S BETTER THAN DOING NOTHING.
IT'S NOT LIKE I HAVE ANY OTHER PLANS WE CAN USE RIGHT NOW...
THERE'S A CHANCE IT COULD WORK.
...
...

OKAY!
AND SO I WENT TO ASK BUTCH AND SLICK FOR THEIR HELP...
OKAY?
IN THE MEANTIME, AKAGI AND I WILL TRY TO COME UP WITH ANOTHER PLAN.
WHY THE HELL WOULD WE WANNA HELP YOU?
NO WAY!
...BUT THEIR REACTION WAS A LITTLE STRONGER THAN I WAS EXPECTING...
HUH?
DIDN'T YOU SEE IT WHEN OUR GROUP MADE CONTACT WITH HIM EARLIER?
WE KNOW FOR A FACT THAT FOUR-EYES ISN'T INFECTED AT ALL!
YOU'VE GOT NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT!
WE AIN'T STICKIN' OUR NECKS OUT FOR NO GOOD REASON, NOT FOR NOBODY!
HE'S RIGHT... THERE'S NOTHING IN IT FOR US...

SO IT'S OKAY! THERE'S NO RISK AT ALL OF YOU GETTING INFECTED!
SINCE WE ALL TRADED CONTACTS WITH EACH OTHER, THAT GUARANTEES FOUR-EYES IS NORMAL!
?
HEH... IZZAT SO?
N-NO... TH-T'S NOT IT AT ALL...
HA HA...WHICH WOULD MAKE THIS A SCAM TO GET US TO WASTE OUR VACCINES CURING THE LOT OF YOU.
IT'S JUST AS LIKELY THAT FOUR-EYES HAS ALREADY GOTTEN THE WHOLE AKIYAMA GROUP INFECTED.
WHY ARE YOU SO INSISTENT?
YOU JUST DON'T GIVE UP, DO YOU?
PLEASE! YOU HAVE TO HELP US! I'M BEGGING YOU!
LET'S GO.
B-BUT...
WHATEVER THE TRUTH IS, YOU'RE NOT GETTING OUR HELP.

WHAT'S YOUR ANGLE HERE?
WE MADE VACCINES WITH YOU ALREADY, SO THERE'S NOTHING IN IT FOR YOU...
IF WE HELP OUT YOUR GROUP, THE ONLY ONE WHO'LL GET ANYTHING OUT OF IT IS FOUR-EYES, RIGHT?

HE ONLY NEEDS ONE MORE CONTACT TO WIN!


EVER SINCE I FIRST GOT WRAPPED UP IN THE LIAR GAME, I'VE BEEN TRYING TO FIND WAYS TO HELP AS MANY PEOPLE AS I CAN SO...
I COULD NEVER BE HAPPY WITH MYSELF PLAYING ONLY TO WIN OR AVOIDING OTHER PLAYERS JUST TO MAINTAIN A LEAD...
BUT IF YOU LOOK AT IT ANOTHER WAY, THAT MEANS THAT IF EVERYONE STOPPED THINKING ONLY ABOUT WINNING, THEN NO ONE WOULD HAVE TO LOSE!
IN THE LIAR GAME, NO ONE CAN WIN WITHOUT SOMEONE ELSE LOSING...
?

IF I CAN HELP ANYONE, THEN I HAVE TO HELP FOUR-EYES!
BUT I CAN'T DO IT WITHOUT THE TWO OF YOU!
SO WHAT YOU'RE SAYIN' IS, YOU DON'T CARE WHAT YOU GET SO LONG AS FOUR-EYES GETS HIS CONTACT.
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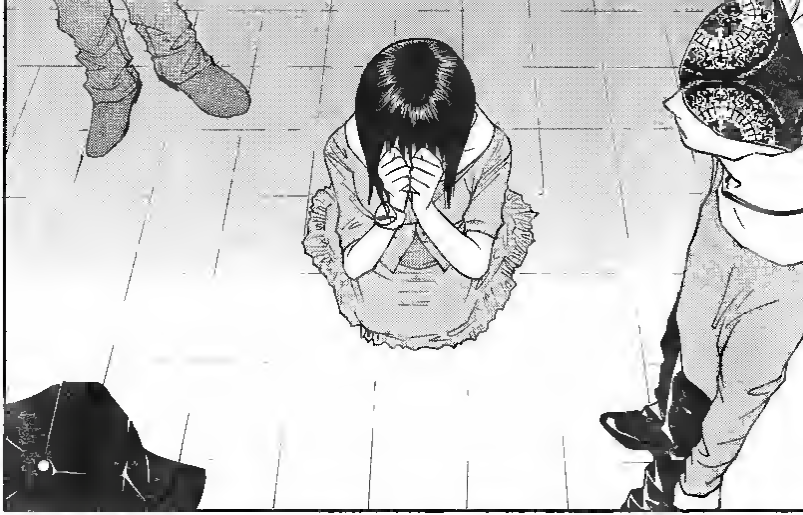
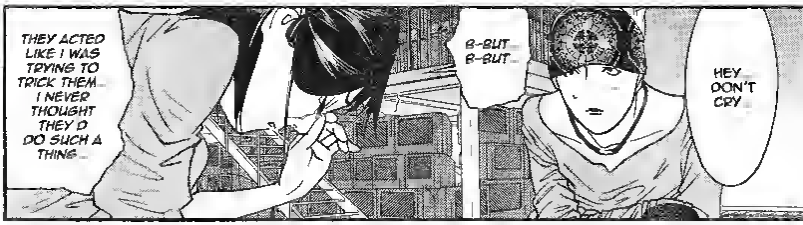
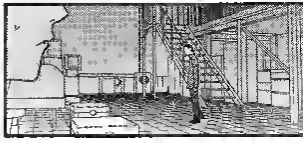
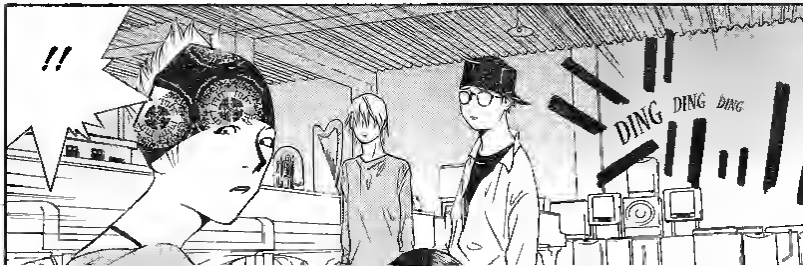
Y-YES!
I DON'T BUY A WORD OF IT.
YOU'RE UP TO SOME-THIN'...




THEY ACTED LIKE I WAS TRYING TO TRICK THEM... I NEVER THOUGHT THEY'D DO SUCH A THING...
B-BUT... B-BUT...
HEY... DON'T CRY...

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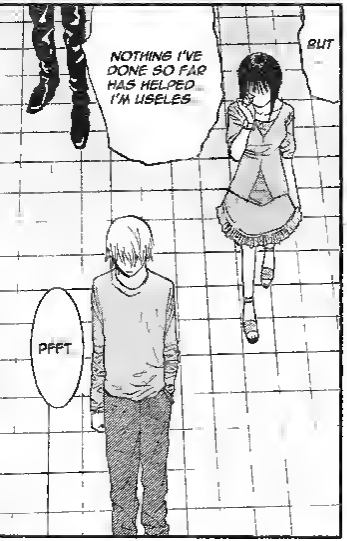
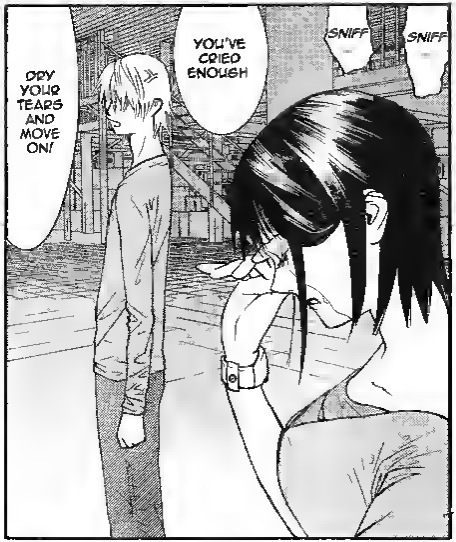
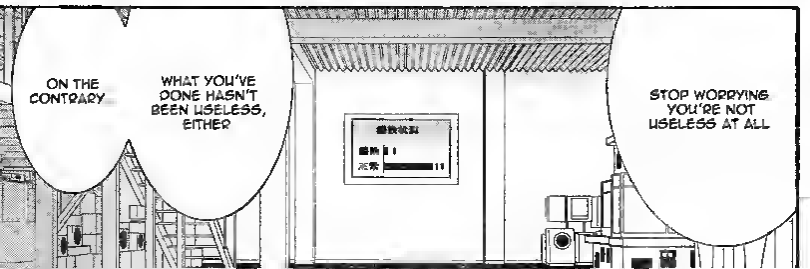
DING DING DING

THE SECOND PERIOD IS NOW OVER!
DING
DING
DING
DING
TIME'S UP!
PAUSE
JUMP
LET'S SEE HOW MANY INFECTED THERE ARE REMAINING.
BEEP
NOW
IT SEEMS THAT QUITE A BIT HAS HAPPENED IN THIS PERIOD

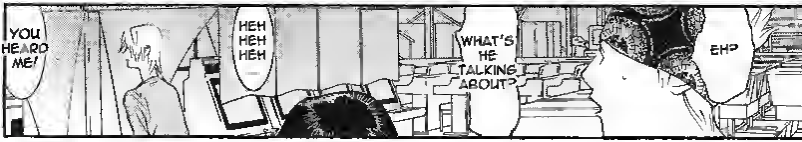
感染状況
INFECTED STATUS
感染
INFECTED
1
正常
NORMAL
11
IT SAYS THERE'S ONLY ONE INFECTED LEFT!
HEY, CHECK IT OUT!
THIS GAME IS MINE.
HMM HMM HMM MY YOKOYA GROUP MAY BE NOTHING BUT SCUM, BUT FIVE OUT OF MY SIX MEMBERS ARE CONFIRMED NORMAL...

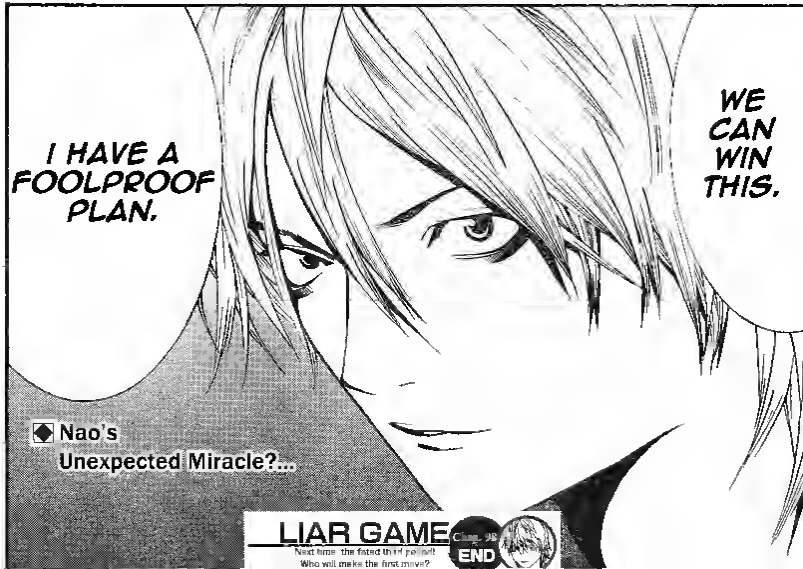

NOTHING I'VE DONE SO FAR HAS HELPED I'M USELES
BUT
PFFT


YOU'VE CRIED ENOUGH
SNIFF
SNIFF
DRY YOUR TEARS AND MOVE ON!


ON THE CONTRARY
WHAT YOU'VE DONE HASN'T BEEN USELESS, EITHER
STOP WORRYING YOU'RE NOT USELESS AT ALL

!?
...YOU'VE JUST HANDED US THE KEYS TO VICTORY.


YOU HEARD ME!
HEH HEH HEH
WHAT'S HE TALKING ABOUT?
EH?


I HAVE A FOOLPROOF PLAN.
WE CAN WIN THIS.
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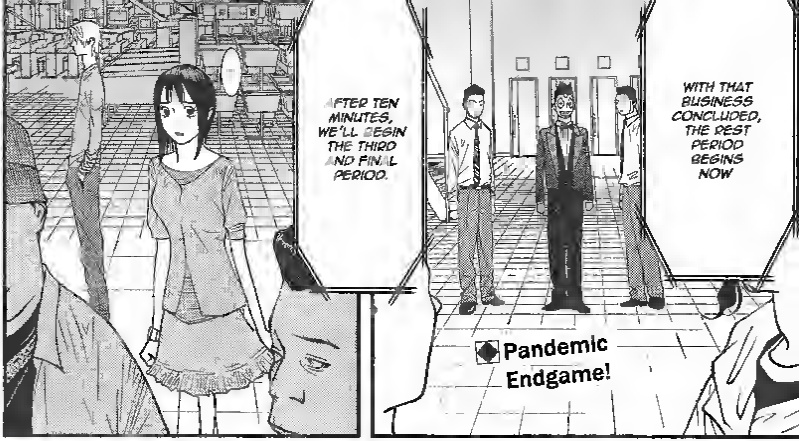

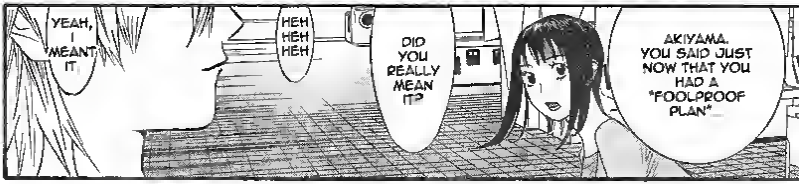

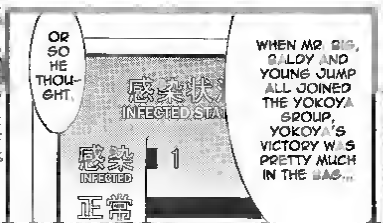

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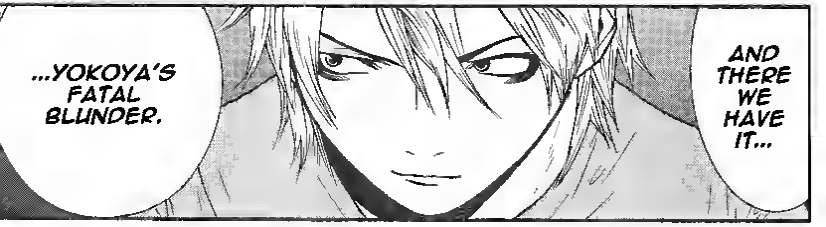
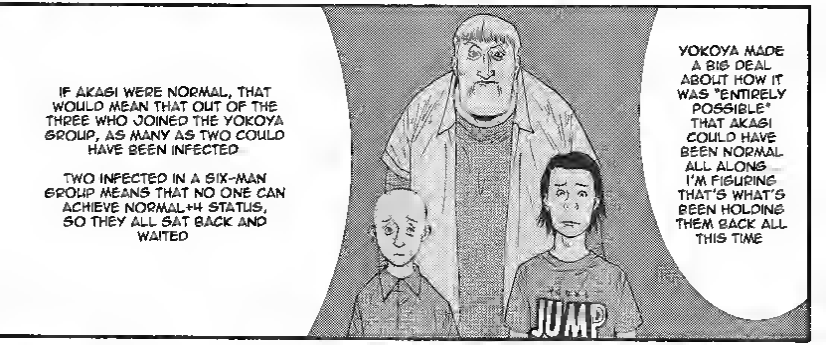
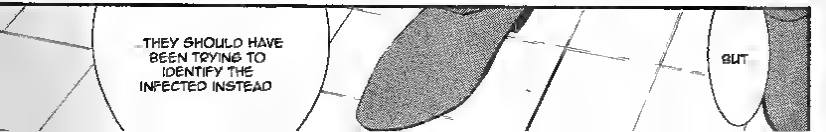
RATHER THAN RUN THE RISK OF CONTACTING AN INFECTED, THEY SAT ON THEIR HANDS UNTIL THE RESULTS COULD CONFIRM THEIR SUSPICIONS.
IN THEIR MINDS, THE SECOND PERIOD WAS SUPPOSED TO ELIMINATE THE INFECTED COMPLETELY, BUT THE END-OF-PERIOD RESULTS SAID THERE WAS STILL ONE LEFT.
THEY JUST KEEP WAITING AND WAITING. NONE OF THEM SHOW ANY SIGN THEY'RE READY TO MAKE A CONTACT.
BUT INSTEAD ...


...YOKOYA'S FATAL BLUNDER.
AND THERE WE HAVE IT...


IF AKAGI WERE NORMAL, THAT WOULD MEAN THAT OUT OF THE THREE WHO JOINED THE YOKOYA GROUP, AS MANY AS TWO COULD HAVE BEEN INFECTED
TWO INFECTED IN A SIX-MAN GROUP MEANS THAT NO ONE CAN ACHIEVE NORMAL+4 STATUS, SO THEY ALL SAT BACK AND WAITED
YOKOYA MADE A BIG DEAL ABOUT HOW IT WAS "ENTIRELY POSSIBLE" THAT AKAGI COULD HAVE BEEN NORMAL ALL ALONG ... I'M FIGURING THAT'S WHAT'S BEEN HOLDING THEM BACK ALL THIS TIME
JUMP

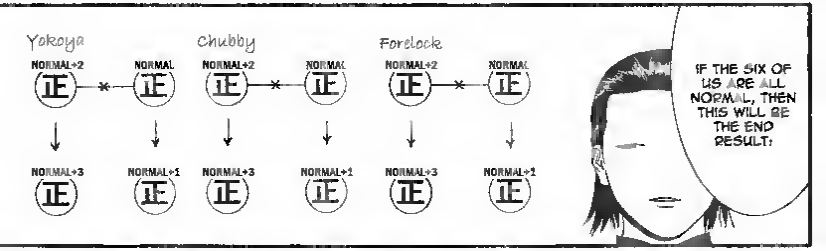

THEY SHOULD HAVE BEEN TRYING TO IDENTIFY THE INFECTED INSTEAD
BUT

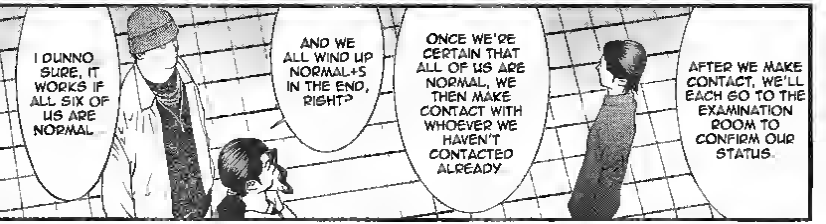
...IS THAT THE KEY TO VICTORY'S ALREADY IN THE DOOR, AND ALL WE HAVE TO DO IS GIVE IT A GOOD TURN.
WHAT THIS MEANS FOR US...
THERE WASN'T ONE NOT YET
HEH HEH HEH
I MEAN, YOUR PLAN? I DIDN'T HEAR AN EXPLA-NATION IN THERE
T-IT SOUNDS GOOD, BUT I DON'T THINK I QUITE GOT ALL THAT
?
?
O-OKAY
I WASN'T KIDDING WHEN I SAID YOU HANDED US THE KEY THE WAY YOU BROKE DOWN IN FRONT OF THEM WAS EXACTLY WHAT THIS PLAN NEEDED IN ORDER TO WORK
IN ANY CASE, WHAT YOU HAVE TO DO NOW IS TRY ONE LAST TIME TO GET BUTCH AND SLICK TO COOPERATE WITH US
I'M AFR-AID SO
A FOOL-PROOF PLAN, DID HE SAY?

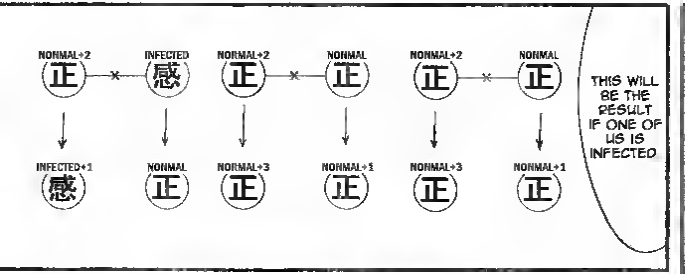
WITH THE CLOCK TICKING ON THE REST PERIOD, I WASTED NO TIME GOING BACK TO BUTCH AND SLICK TO ASK THEM FOR THEIR HELP...
I'M BEGGING YOU!
PLEASE HELP FOUR-EYES!
DO YOU HAVE WAX IN YOUR EARS?
WE ALREADY TOLD YOU WE'RE NOT BUYING WHAT YOU'RE SELLING.
PLEASE!
JUST ONE LITTLE LEAP OF FAITH CAN SAVE ONE OF THE OTHER PLAYERS!
PLEASE...
ALL RISK, NO GAIN? NO THANKS
PLEASE...
I'M BEGGING YOU...
SHUT IT.

FOR THE LAST TIME, NO DEAL.
PLEASE!
OF COURSE, EVEN WITH AN INFECTED PLAYER IN OUR GROUP OF SIX, OUR VICTORY IS CERTAIN. HA HA HA...
EITHER THERE IS A LONE INFECTED AMONG US, OR WE ARE ALL INDEED NORMAL...
YOU ALL SAW THE RESULTS JUST NOW, CORRECT?
AS FOR THE YOKOYA GROUP
WE'RE GOING TO SPLIT INTO TWO GROUPS OF THREE - MY ORIGINAL TEAM AND YOU NEWCOMERS. THEN, SIMULTANEOUSLY, EACH MEMBER OF MY GROUP WILL MAKE CONTACT WITH A SINGLE MEMBER OF YOUR GROUP. YES, I THINK THIS PLAN WILL DO NICELY...
HERE'S HOW WE'RE GOING TO PROCEED...
Yokoya
Contact
Mr. Big
Pornstar
Contact
Young Punk
Chubby
Contact
Baldy

THAT SHOULD PROVE THE TEST METHOD.
INDEED.
ALL AT ONCE, HUH?
!?


Yokoya
Chubby
Forelock
NORMAL+2
NORMAL
NORMAL+3
NORMAL+1
IF THE SIX OF US ARE ALL NORMAL, THEN THIS WILL BE THE END RESULT.


I DUNNO. SURE, IT WORKS IF ALL SIX OF US ARE NORMAL.
AND WE ALL WIND UP NORMAL+S IN THE END, RIGHT?
ONCE WE'RE CERTAIN THAT ALL OF US ARE NORMAL, WE THEN MAKE CONTACT WITH WHOEVER WE HAVEN'T CONTACTED ALREADY.
AFTER WE MAKE CONTACT, WE'LL EACH GO TO THE EXAMINATION ROOM TO CONFIRM OUR STATUS.


NORMAL+2
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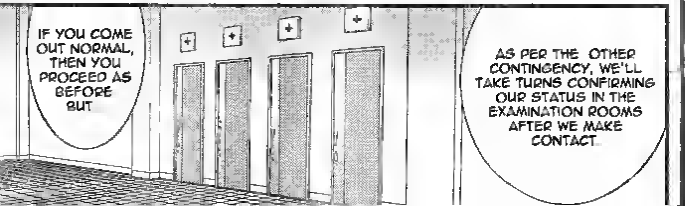
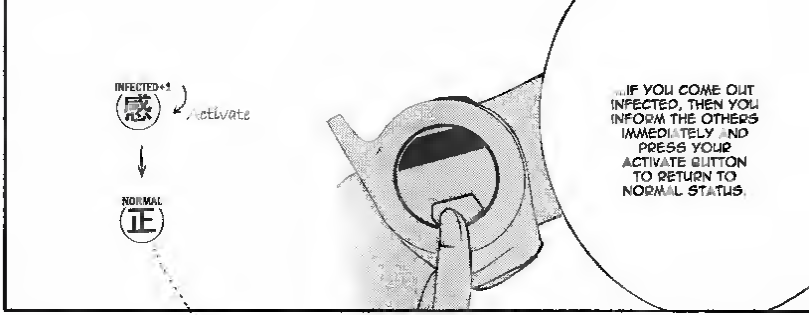
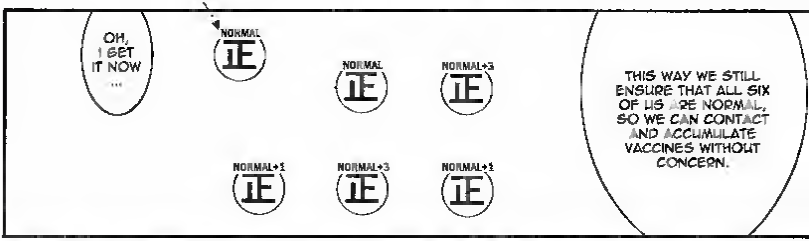
THIS WILL BE THE RESULT IF ONE OF US IS INFECTED.


IF YOU COME OUT NORMAL, THEN YOU PROCEED AS BEFORE BUT
AS PER THE OTHER CONTINGENCY, WE'LL TAKE TURNS CONFIRMING OUR STATUS IN THE EXAMINATION ROOMS AFTER WE MAKE CONTACT.

NOT AT ALL
...BUT WON'T IT MESS THINGS UP IF ONE OF US IS INFECTED?


INFECTED+1
Activate
NORMAL
...IF YOU COME OUT INFECTED, THEN YOU INFORM THE OTHERS IMMEDIATELY AND PRESS YOUR ACTIVATE BUTTON TO RETURN TO NORMAL STATUS.

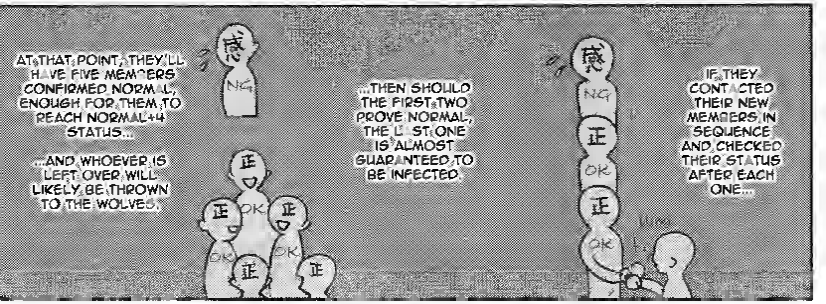

OH, I GET IT NOW ...
NORMAL
NORMAL
NORMAL+3
NORMAL+1
NORMAL+3
NORMAL+1
THIS WAY WE STILL ENSURE THAT ALL SIX OF US ARE NORMAL, SO WE CAN CONTACT AND ACCUMULATE VACCINES WITHOUT CONCERN.

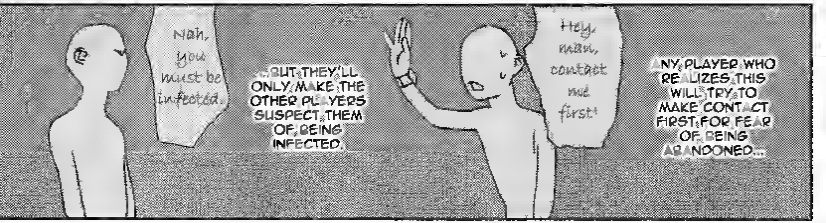
THE BEST THING ABOUT THIS PLAN IS THAT NOT ONLY WILL WE IDENTIFY WHICH ONE OF YOU IS INFECTED, BUT ALL THREE OF YOU WILL BE CONFIRMED NORMAL AFTERWARD.

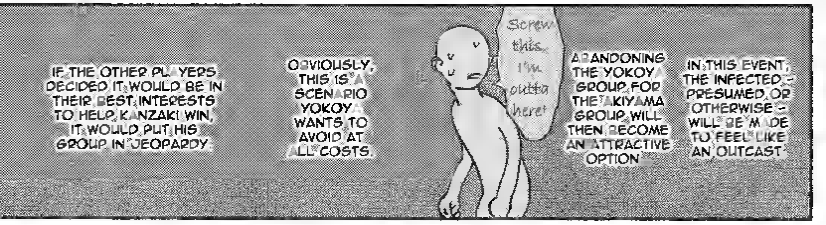
UH, YEAH
HEH

I THINK THIS WITCH HUNT FARCE HAS GONE ON FOR QUITE LONG ENOUGH, WOULDN'T YOU SAY?

?
YOKOYA, YOU CLEVER BASTARD!
OF COURSE! HE'S DONE IT AGAIN


AT THAT POINT, THEY'LL HAVE FIVE MEMBERS CONFIRMED NORMAL, ENOUGH FOR THEM TO REACH NORMAL++ STATUS...
...AND WHOEVER IS LEFT OVER WILL LIKELY BE THROWN TO THE WOLVES.
...THEN SHOULD THE FIRST TWO PROVE NORMAL, THE LAST ONE IS ALMOST GUARANTEED TO BE INFECTED.
IF THEY CONTACTED THEIR NEW MEMBERS IN SEQUENCE AND CHECKED THEIR STATUS AFTER EACH ONE...
NG
OK


Nah, you must be infected.
...BUT THEY'LL ONLY MAKE THE OTHER PLAYERS SUSPECT THEM OF BEING INFECTED.
Hey, nah, contact me first!
ANY PLAYER WHO REALIZES THIS WILL TRY TO MAKE CONTACT FIRST, FOR FEAR OF BEING ABANDONED...


IF THE OTHER PLAYERS DECIDED IT WOULD BE IN THEIR BEST INTERESTS TO HELP KANZAKI WIN, IT WOULD PUT HIS GROUP IN JEOPARDY.
OBVIOUSLY, THIS IS A SCENARIO YOKOYA WANTS TO AVOID AT ALL COSTS.
Screw this, I'm outta here!
ABANDONING THE YOKOYA GROUP FOR THE TAKIYAMA GROUP WILL THEN BECOME AN ATTRACTIVE OPTION.
IN THIS EVENT, THE INFECTED – PRESUMED, OR OTHERWISE – WILL BE MADE TO FEEL LIKE AN OUTCAST.

HOLD ON A SEC!
HEY –
HE'S CERTAINLY THOUGHT THINGS THROUGH, HASN'T HE?
YES, I SEE NOW ...
YOKOYA WASN'T EXAGGERATING... SIMULTANEOUS CONTACTS ARE THE ONLY WAY HE CAN PROCEED WITHOUT DESTROYING HIS GROUP'S CHANCES.

NORMAL+3
NORMAL+5
NORMAL+5
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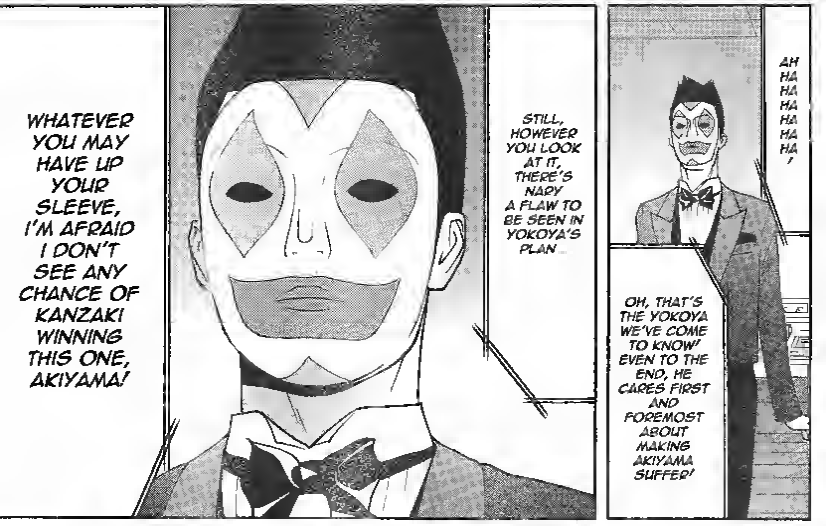
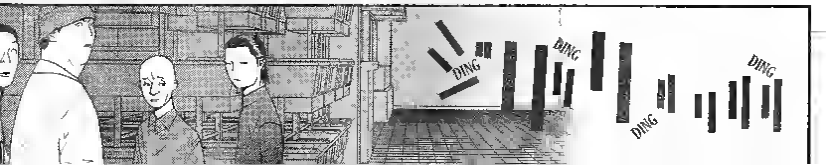
IF WE GO AHEAD WITH THIS PLAN AND ONE OF THEM REALLY IS INFECTED, THEN THAT MEANS ONE OF US IS GONNA END UP ONE VACCINE SHORT!
?
OH, YE OF LITTLE FAITH.
HA HA
... AND THAT MEANS THEY'RE DESPERATE, A MERE HAIR'S BREADTH FROM VICTORY
WE KNOW FOR CERTAIN THAT FOUR-EYES AND KANZAKI ARE NORMAL+3.
IF THERE IS INDEED AN INFECTED AMONG US, THEN THAT MEANS THERE'S NO ONE INFECTED IN THE AKIYAMA GROUP.
OH, ABSO-LUTELY.
SO YOU'RE SAYING THAT EITHER ONE OF THOSE TWO'D BE SURE TO CONTACT US IF WE ASKED?
YEAH, YEAH, YOU'RE RIGHT!

I WOULD RATHER ENJOY SEEING THE LOOK ON NAO KANZAKI'S FACE WHEN SHE REALIZES SHE'S THE ONLY LOSER IN THIS GAME...
...BUT IF IT DOES COME TO THAT, SEE THAT IT'S FOUR-EYES WHOM YOU CONTACT.


WHATEVER YOU MAY HAVE UP YOUR SLEEVE, I'M AFRAID I DON'T SEE ANY CHANCE OF KANZAKI WINNING THIS ONE, AKIYAMA!
STILL, HOWEVER YOU LOOK AT IT, THERE'S NARY A FLAW TO BE SEEN IN YOKOYA'S PLAN...
OH, THAT'S THE YOKOYA WE'VE COME TO KNOW! EVEN TO THE END, HE CARES FIRST AND FOREMOST ABOUT MAKING AKIYAMA SUFFER!
AH HA HA HA HA HA HA HA!


DING
DING
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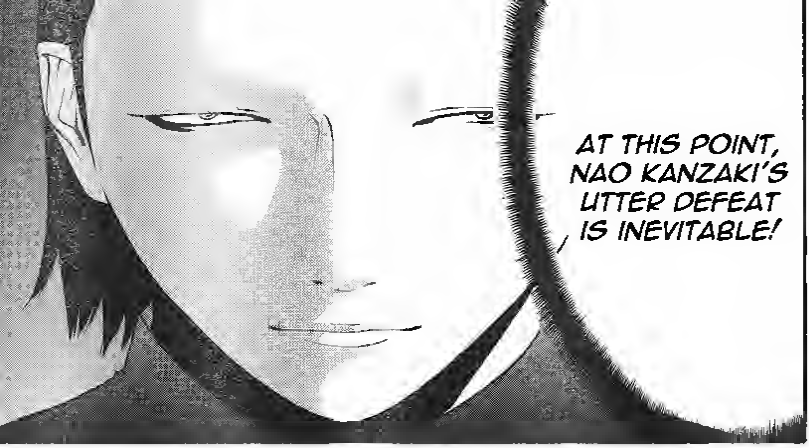
DING

ATTENTION, EVERYONE!
WITHOUT FURTHER ADO, LET US COMMENCE THE THIRD AND FINAL PERIOD!
I HOPE TO SEE YOU ALL TRY YOUR HARDEST!
WHETHER FORTUNE SMILES OR FATE SCOWLS, THESE NEXT THIRTY MINUTES ARE THE LAST FOR THIS GAME, SO MAKE GOOD USE OF THEM!
WELL, THEN SHALL WE BEGIN THE PROCEDURE?
YEAH!

FLASH
FLASH
YOUNG JUMP
FLASH
YOKOYA AND MR BIG HAVE MADE CONTACT
DO YOU IMAGINE HE ALREADY KNOWS WHICH ONE IS INFECTED?
HE'S YOKOYA. WHAT DO YOU THINK?
HE'S PROBABLY STUDIED THEIR WORDS AND ACTIONS UP UNTIL NOW TO THE POINT THAT HE'S CERTAIN MR BIG IS NORMAL

THE PLAYER CALLED YOUNG JUMP!
...BECAUSE THE REAL INFECTED IS THIS ONE -
IT LOOKS LIKE THIS IS THE ENDGAME FOR YOU, NAO KANZAKI!
CHECKMATE IN THREE, WITH NO CHANCE OF ESCAPE!
YOKOYA'S BEEN PLAYING THIS GAME LIKE A GRAND-MASTER!
HA HA
THIS GAME IS OVER
NOW, WE EACH PROCEED ONE AT A TIME TO THE EXAMINATION ROOMS TO CHECK OUR STATUS.
'KAY, I'LL BE RIGHT BACK


AT THIS POINT, NAO KANZAKI'S UTTER DEFEAT IS INEVITABLE!

HUH
BACK SO SOON?

HMM ?
WHAT DO YOU MEAN, "YOU DON'T KNOW"?
I COULDN'T USE THE EXAMI-NATION ROOM.

...THE THING IS I DON'T KNOW.

SO, HOW DID IT GO?
ARE YOU NORMAL? INFECTED?
W-WELL

WELL, YEAH, BUT ...
THERE ARE FOUR OF THEM, AREN'T THERE?
THEN WHY DIDN'T YOU JUST USE ANOTHER EXAMINATION ROOM?
!?

WE CAN'T USE ANY OF THEM...
..THE AKIYAMA GROUP'S TAKING UP ALL FOUR ROOMS.
WHAAAT?
WHA?
!?
TAP
TAP
TAP

!!
HE'S RIGHT! NONE OF 'EM WILL OPEN!
RATTLE
RATTLE
RATTLE
RATTLE
THEY'VE LOCKED 'EM ALL FROM THE INSIDE!
RATTLE
RATTLE

SHOCK
HE'S LITERALLY LOCKED THEM OUT OF VICTORY!
INCREDIBLE! I CERTAINLY WASN'T EXPECTING THIS!
RATTLE
BAM
IN A SINGLE MOVE...
SO THIS IS AKIYAMA'S FOOLPROOF PLAN!
BAM
BAM
BAM
HE'S COMPLETELY REVERSED THE OUTCOME OF THIS GAME!
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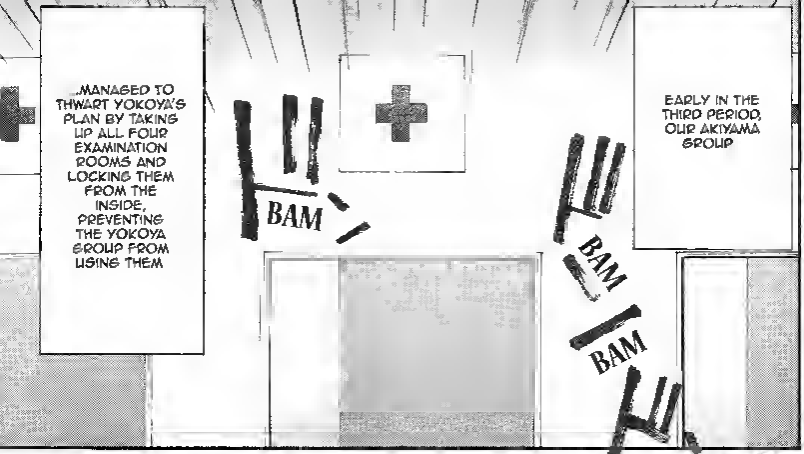
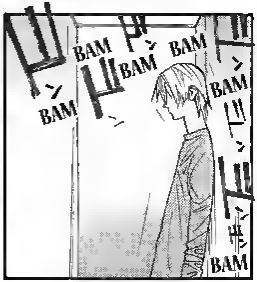
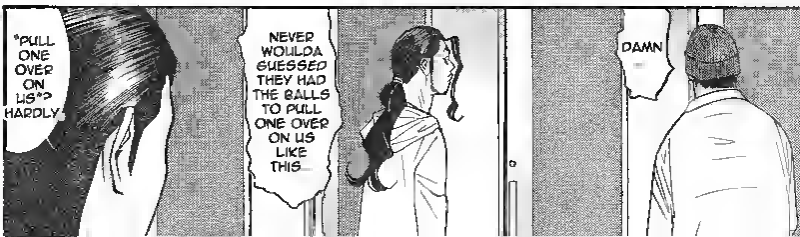

EARLY IN THE THIRD PERIOD, OUR AKIYAMA GROUP
BAM
BAM
BAM
...MANAGED TO THWART YOKOYA'S PLAN BY TAKING UP ALL FOUR EXAMINATION ROOMS AND LOCKING THEM FROM THE INSIDE, PREVENTING THE YOKOYA GROUP FROM USING THEM

OPEN UP!
BAM
OPEN THE DOOR, DAMMIT!
BAM
BAM





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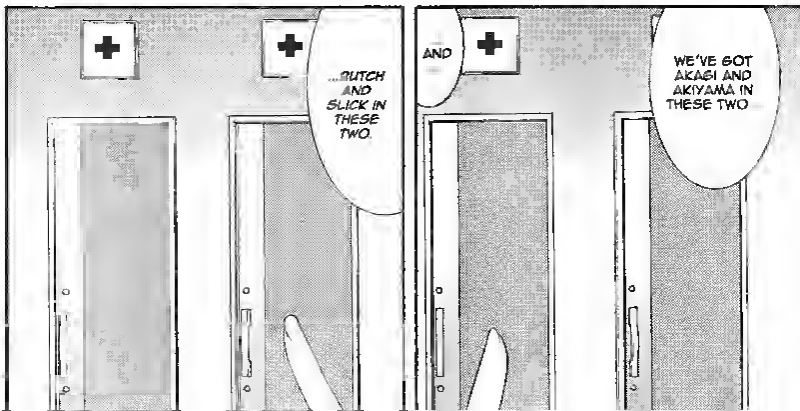
...IT'S AN ACT OF DESPERATION.
THIS ISN'T A PLAN, A SCHEME OR EVEN A STRATAGEM...
JUST THINK ABOUT IT.
ALL FOUR MEMBERS OF THE AKIYAMA GROUP HAVE LOCKED THEMSELVES INSIDE THE EXAMINATION ROOMS
THIS INCLUDES NAO KANZAKI AND FOUR-EYES, WHO HAVEN'T YET REACHED NORMAL+4 STATUS.
WHICH MAKES THIS EITHER A SUICIDE ATTACK... OR A DIVERSION.
SO AS IT STANDS, ALL THEY CAN REALLY DO NOW IS WAIT FOR DEATH
WHILE THEY'RE LOCKED INSIDE, NONE OF THEM CAN MAKE CONTACT WITH ANYONE...
THAT'S MORE THAN I CAN SAY ABOUT YOU THREE
FREAK US OUT, MAKE US BACK OFF, THEN SNEAK OUT WHILE OUR BACKS ARE TURNED... PRETTY DAMN CLEVER
THAT MAKES SENSE! THEY PROBABLY JUST MEANT TO STALL US!
OH YEAH!

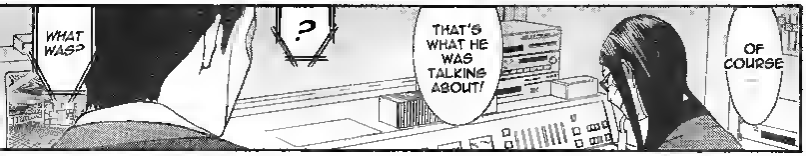
!!
...'CAUSE WE'VE BEEN STANDING RIGHT HERE THE WHOLE TIME.

TEE HEE HEE
AND WHO THE HELL IS THAT IN THERE?
WHAT THE...? HOW THE HELL ARE YOU OUT HERE?

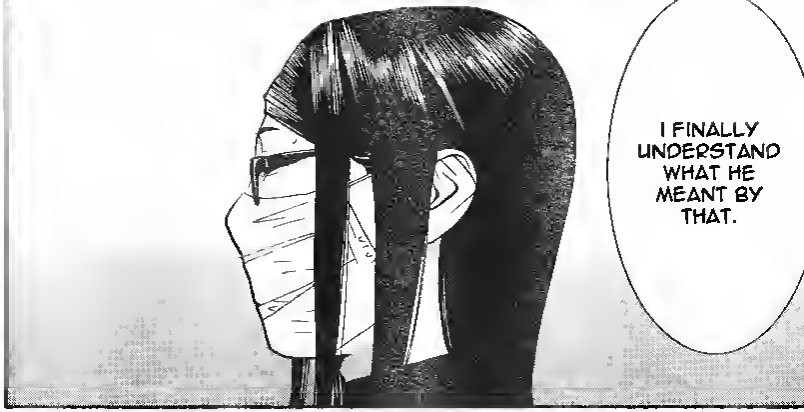

...BUTCH AND SLICK IN THESE TWO.
AND
WE'VE GOT AKAGI AND AKIYAMA IN THESE TWO.

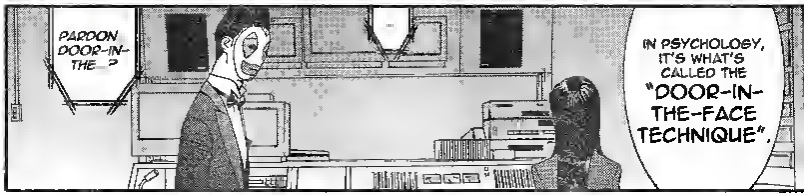
TEE HEE HEE!
HOW?
BUTCH AND SLICK?
!?

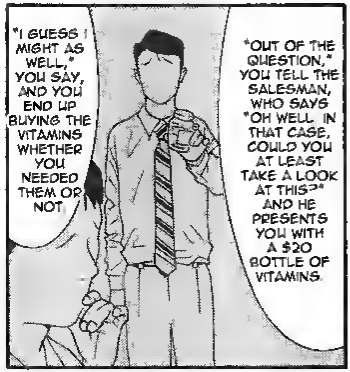
GETTING THEM TO MAKE CONTACT WITH US WAS PRETTY MUCH IMPOSSIBLE, BUT GETTING THEM TO LOCK THEMSELVES INSIDE THE EXAMINATION ROOMS...
WE GOT THEM TO HELP US.

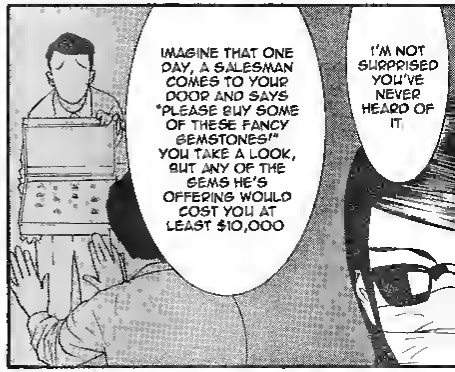

WHAT WAS?
?
THAT'S WHAT HE WAS TALKING ABOUT!
OF COURSE...

"WHAT YOU'VE DONE HASN'T BEEN USELESS, EITHER. ON THE CONTRARY... YOU'VE HANDED US THE KEYS TO VICTORY."
AFTER THAT, AKIYAMA SAID...
...WHEN KANZAKI BROKE DOWN CRYING AFTER BUTCH AND SLICK REFUSED TO HELP HER.
AT THE END OF THE LAST PERIOD...


I FINALLY UNDERSTAND WHAT HE MEANT BY THAT.

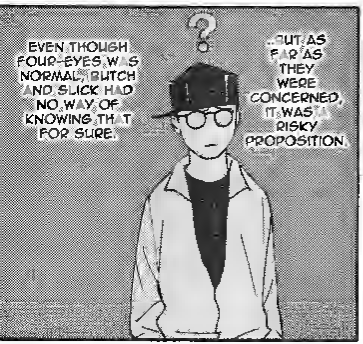

PARDON DOOR-IN-THE-...?
IN PSYCHOLOGY, IT'S WHAT'S CALLED THE "DOOR-IN-THE-FACE TECHNIQUE".

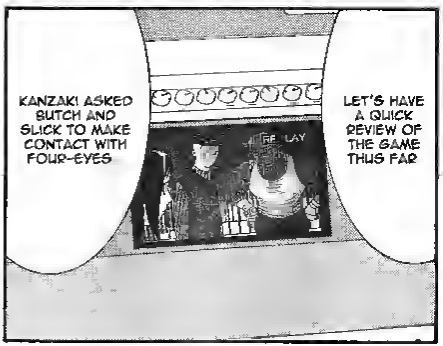

"I GUESS I MIGHT AS WELL," YOU SAY, AND YOU END UP BUYING THE VITAMINS WHETHER YOU NEEDED THEM OR NOT.
"OUT OF THE QUESTION," YOU TELL THE SALESMAN, WHO SAYS "OH WELL. IN THAT CASE, COULD YOU AT LEAST TAKE A LOOK AT THIS?" AND HE PRESENTS YOU WITH A $20 BOTTLE OF VITAMINS.

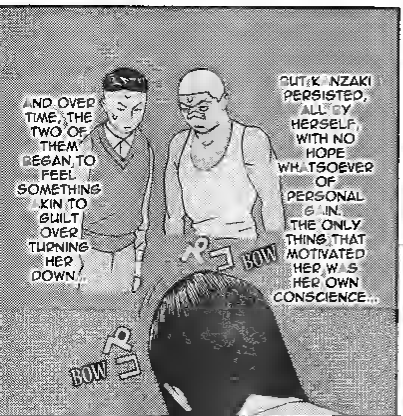

IMAGINE THAT ONE DAY, A SALESMAN COMES TO YOUR DOOR AND SAYS "PLEASE BUY SOME OF THESE FANCY GEMSTONES!" YOU TAKE A LOOK, BUT ANY OF THE GEMS HE'S OFFERING WOULD COST YOU AT LEAST $10,000
I'M NOT SURPRISED YOU'VE NEVER HEARD OF IT.

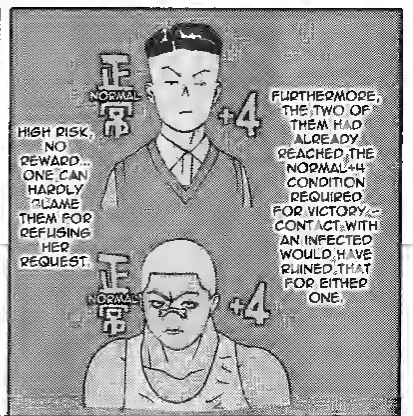
HERE'S HOW IT WORKS
THAT MATCHES THIS SITUATION NICELY...
I SEE

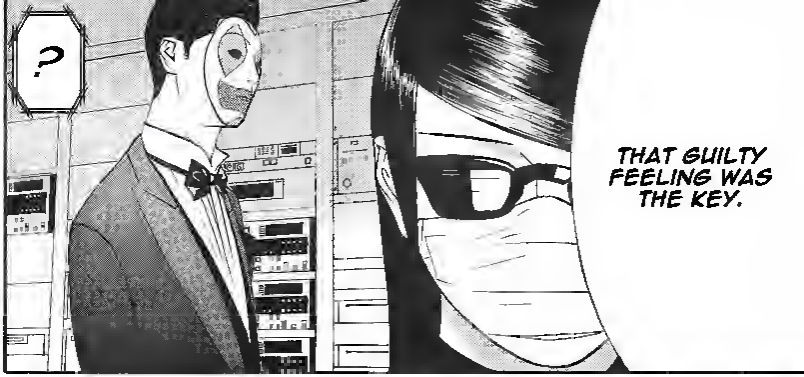
...THAT'S THE "DOOR-IN-THE-FACE TECHNIQUE" IN IT'S ENTIRETY.
AFTER A PERSON REFUSES AN EXTRAORDINARY REQUEST, THEY BECOME MUCH MORE LIKELY TO ACCEDE TO A MORE HUMBLE ONE.


EVEN THOUGH FOUR-EYES WAS NORMAL, BUTCH AND SLICK HAD NO WAY OF KNOWING THAT FOR SURE.
BUT AS FAR AS THEY WERE CONCERNED, IT WAS A RISKY PROPOSITION.


KANZAKI ASKED BUTCH AND SLICK TO MAKE CONTACT WITH FOUR-EYES
LET'S HAVE A QUICK REVIEW OF THE GAME THUS FAR
REPLAY


AND OVER TIME, THE TWO OF THEM BEGAN TO FEEL SOMETHING KIN TO GUILT OVER TURNING HER DOWN.
BUT KANZAKI PERSISTED, ALL BY HERSELF WITH NO HOPE WHATSOEVER OF PERSONAL GAIN. THE ONLY THING THAT MOTIVATED HER WAS HER OWN CONSCIENCE...
BOW
BOW


NORMAL
+4
HIGH RISK, NO REWARD... ONE CAN HARDLY BLAME THEM FOR REFUSING HER REQUEST.
FURTHERMORE, THE TWO OF THEM HAD ALREADY REACHED THE NORMAL+4 CONDITION REQUIRED FOR VICTORY. CONTACT WITH AN INFECTED WOULD HAVE RUINED THAT FOR EITHER ONE.
NORMAL
+4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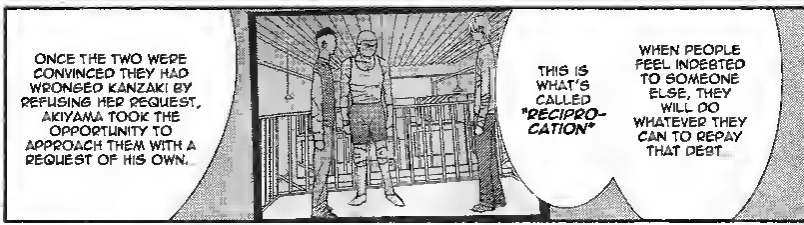
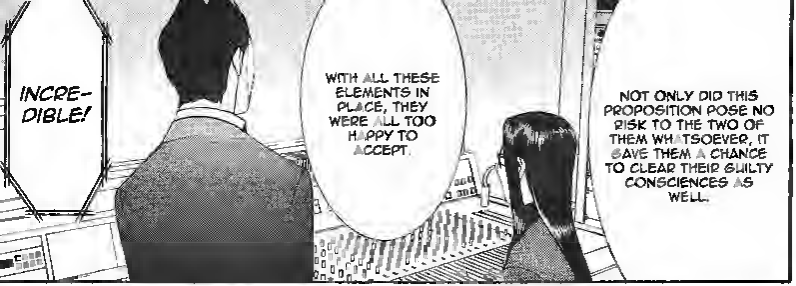
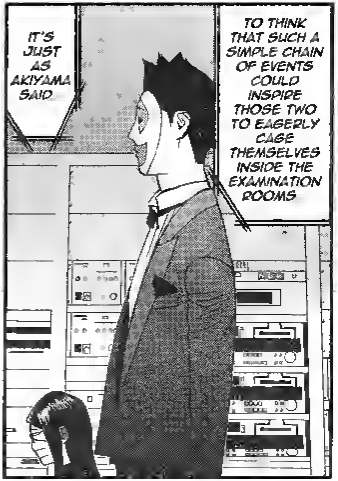
THAT GUILTY FEELING WAS THE KEY.


ONCE THE TWO WERE CONVINCED THEY HAD WRONGED KANZAKI BY REFUSING HER REQUEST, AKIYAMA TOOK THE OPPORTUNITY TO APPROACH THEM WITH A REQUEST OF HIS OWN.
THIS IS WHAT'S CALLED "RECIPRO-CATION"
WHEN PEOPLE FEEL INDEBTED TO SOMEONE ELSE, THEY WILL DO WHATEVER THEY CAN TO REPAY THAT DEBT.

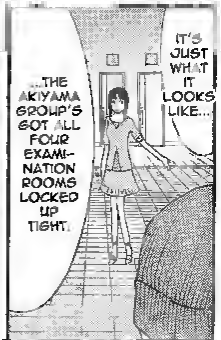
IN THE THIRD PERIOD, I NEED YOU TO LOCK YOURSELVES INSIDE TWO OF THE EXAMINATION ROOMS.
THERE WON'T BE ANY RISK INVOLVED...
IN FACT, BY STAYING IN THERE, THE TWO OF YOU CAN HELP KANZAKI AND FOUR-EYES


INCRE-
DIBLE!
WITH ALL THESE ELEMENTS IN PLACE, THEY WERE ALL TOO HAPPY TO ACCEPT.
NOT ONLY DID THIS PROPOSITION POSE NO RISK TO THE TWO OF THEM WHATSOEVER, IT GAVE THEM A CHANCE TO CLEAR THEIR GUILTY CONSCIENCES AS WELL.

HAS BECOME THE CORNERSTONE OF THEIR ENTIRE BATTLE PLAN!
KANZAKI'S SEEMING ACT OF DESPERATION


IT'S JUST AS AKIYAMA SAID.
TO THINK THAT SUCH A SIMPLE CHAIN OF EVENTS COULD INSPIRE THOSE TWO TO EAGERLY CAGE THEMSELVES INSIDE THE EXAMINATION ROOMS

!!!
AND NO ONE'S COMING OUT UNTIL THE END OF THE GAME.


IT'S JUST WHAT IT LOOKS LIKE...
...THE AKIYAMA GROUP'S GOT ALL FOUR EXAMI-NATION ROOMS LOCKED UP TIGHT.

...YOU'RE WILLING TO MAKE A DEAL WITH US.
UNLESS, OF COURSE ...

OH, NOTHING SERIOUS
WH-WHAT KIND OF DEAL?

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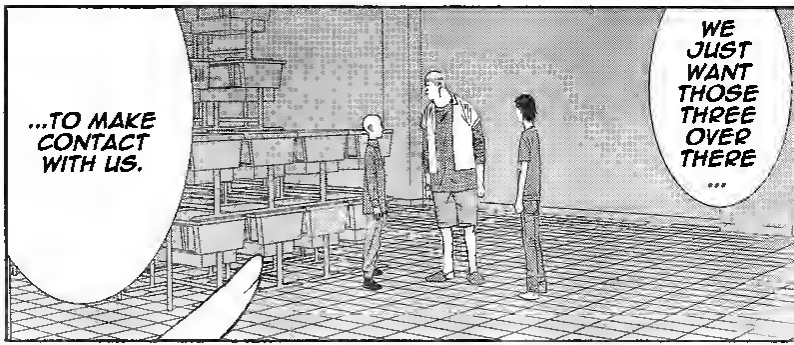
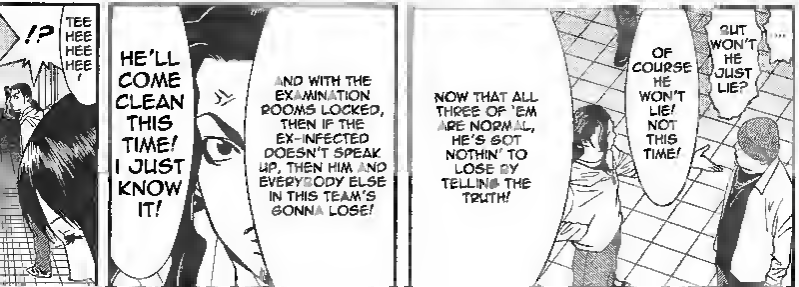

...TO MAKE CONTACT WITH US.
WE JUST WANT THOSE THREE OVER THERE ...

...AND WE'LL UNLOCK THE EXAMINATION ROOMS
IF OUR GROUP CAN MAKE CONTACT WITH THE THREE OF THEM, THEN WE CAN REACH NORMAL+4 STATUS WITHOUT ANY FURTHER PROBLEMS...
...AND THAT THE THREE OF THEM ARE CONFIRMED NORMAL
WE'VE BEEN WATCHING YOU THE WHOLE TIME, SO WE KNOW YOUR PLAN...

'SIDES, WE DON'T EVEN NEED THE STUPID EXAMINATION ROOMS TO PULL THIS PLAN OFF!
I SECOND THAT OPINION... THIS "DEAL" STINKS!
WHAT THE HELL KINDA DEAL IS THAT?

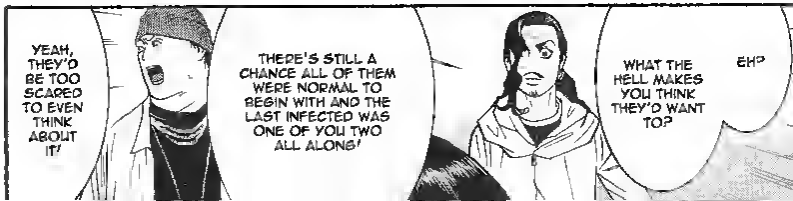
"WHICH ONE OF YOU WAS INFECTED?"
ALL WE GOTTA DO IS LINE 'EM UP AND ASK 'EM:
YEAH, IT'S EASY!
WAIT, WHAT? WE DON'T? REALLY?


!?
TEE HEE HEE HEE!
HE'LL COME CLEAN THIS TIME! I JUST KNOW IT!
AND WITH THE EXAMINATION ROOMS LOCKED, THEN IF THE EX-INFECTED DOESN'T SPEAK UP, THEN HIM AND EVERYBODY ELSE IN THIS TEAM'S GONNA LOSE!
NOW THAT ALL THREE OF 'EM ARE NORMAL, HE'S GOT NOTHIN' TO LOSE BY TELLING THE TRUTH!
OF COURSE HE WON'T LIE! NOT THIS TIME!
BUT WON'T HE JUST LIE?
...

YOKOYA'S THE SMART ONE... JUST TAKE A LOOK AT HIM. HE'S ALREADY FIGURED IT OUT.
THAT PLAN OF YOURS DOESN'T HAVE A PRAYER.
!?

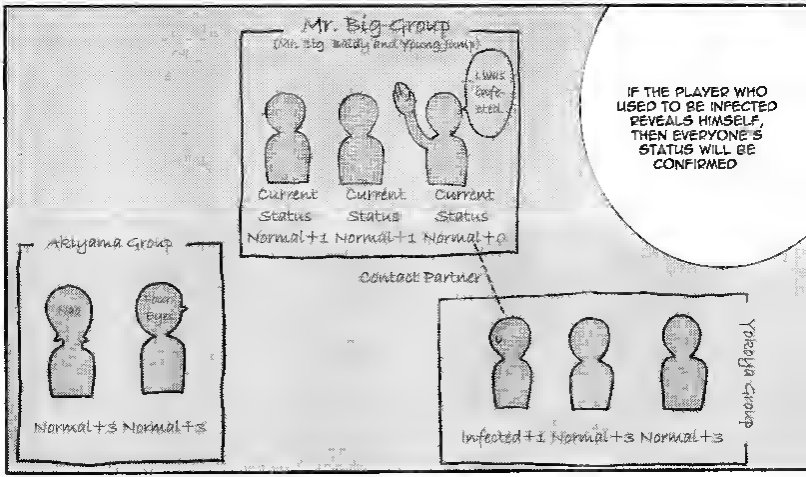
?
WH-WHY?
IF YOU HAVE A PROBLEM WITH OUR OFFER AND DECIDE TO TURN IT DOWN
THEN WE CAN JUST GO DIRECTLY TO THE THREE OF THEM AND SAY

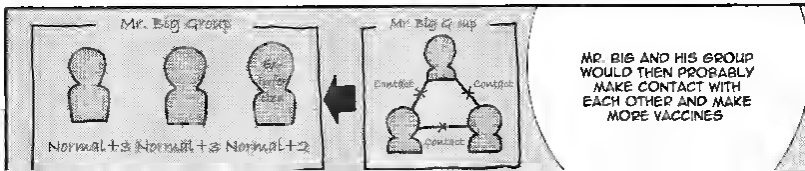
...YOU AND US!"
..."LET'S MAKE CONTACT...


EH?
WHAT THE HELL MAKES YOU THINK THEY'D WANT TO?
THERE'S STILL A CHANCE ALL OF THEM WERE NORMAL TO BEGIN WITH AND THE LAST INFECTED WAS ONE OF YOU TWO ALL ALONG!
YEAH, THEY'D BE TOO SCARED TO EVEN THINK ABOUT IT!

!?
NICE TRY, BUT ALSO WRONG.
"IF THE EX-INFECTED DOESN'T SPEAK UP, THEN HIM AND EVERYBODY ELSE ON THIS TEAM'S GONNA LOSE!"
...THAT WAS THE ARGUMENT YOU WERE GOING TO USE TO MAKE THE PLAYER WHO USED TO BE INFECTED REVEAL HIMSELF, RIGHT?
THINK ABOUT IT
THE HELL ARE YOU TALKIN' ABOUT? OF COURSE HE'D BE TELLING THE TRUTH... WE'RE ALL AT THE ENDS OF OUR ROPES HERE!
WHAT WOULD HE HAVE TO GAIN BY LYING AT THIS POINT?
BUT HOW ARE YOU SO SURE HE'D BE TELLING THE TRUTH ABOUT THAT?
BUT SINCE THERE WAS ONLY ONE INFECTED AT THE START OF THIS PERIOD...
...THAT'D ALSO MEAN THAT FOUR-EYES AND I ARE CONFIRMED NORMAL.
THE WAY THINGS ARE RIGHT NOW, IF ONE OF THEM CLAIMS HE USED TO BE INFECTED, THERE'S NO REASON TO TAKE IT AT ANYTHING BUT FACE VALUE...
OH, I AGREE.

THAT'S RIGHT! JUST PICTURE THINGS FROM THEIR PERSPECTIVE...
AAAAAAAH!
AH...


Mr. Big Group
(Mr. Big, Buddy and Young Jung)
I was infected.
Current Status
Current Status
Current Status
Normal+1 Normal+1 Normal+0
IF THE PLAYER WHO USED TO BE INFECTED REVEALS HIMSELF, THEN EVERYONE'S STATUS WILL BE CONFIRMED
Akiyama Group
Kiss
Their Eyes
Normal+3 Normal+3
Contact Partner
Yabuta Group
Infected+1 Normal+3 Normal+3


Mr. Big Group
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Mr. Big Group
Contact
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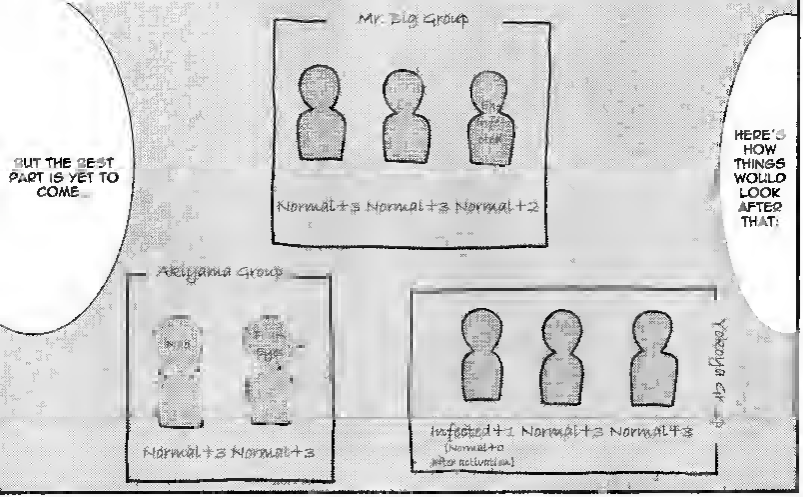
MR. BIG AND HIS GROUP WOULD THEN PROBABLY MAKE CONTACT WITH EACH OTHER AND MAKE MORE VACCINES


Mr. Big Group
Normal+3 Normal+3 Normal+2
Akiyama Group
Normal+3 Normal+3
Yokoya Gr
Infected+1 Normal+3 Normal+3
[Normal+0 after activation]
BUT THE BEST PART IS YET TO COME...
HERE'S HOW THINGS WOULD LOOK AFTER THAT:

...WILL BE DETERMINED BY WHO MR. BIG'S GROUP CHOOSES TO HELP: US, OR THE YOKOYA GROUP. THAT'S REALLY ALL THERE IS TO IT NOW
IN THE END, THE OUTCOME OF THIS GAME...

SO THE QUESTION THOSE THREE SHOULD REALLY BE ASKING THEMSELVES IS THIS...
...OR IN OTHER WORDS, THE REAL GAME HAS YET TO BEGIN.
BUT THERE'S A BIGGER PICTURE THAT YOU'VE ALL BEEN IGNORING. THE ONLY THING RIDING ON THIS PANDEMIC GAME IS WHO GETS TO MOVE ON TO THE FOURTH ROUND...

!!
!!
"WHO SHOULD I GET RID OF TO IMRPVOE MY CHANCES IN THE FOURTH ROUND?"

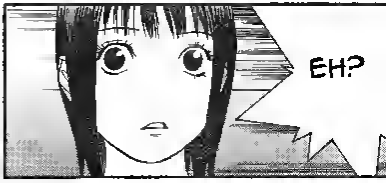
DOES ANY OF THIS SOUND FAMILIAR, YOKOYA?
YOU MAINTAIN THIS FACADE THAT YOU ACTUALLY CARE ABOUT THE OTHER PLAYERS...
...BUT ALL YOU REALLY CARE ABOUT IS ELIMINATING YOUR TOUGHEST OPPONENTS AND MAKING SURE YOU YOURSELF SURVIVE TO THE NEXT ROUND, ISN'T IT?

A DISCOVERED ATTACK, LEADING DIRECTLY TO CHECKMATE!
HOW SPLENDID!
AS STRANGE AS IT MIGHT SEEM, IT APPEARS THAT YOKOYA IS NOW THE ONE ON THE BRINK OF DEFEAT!
EH?
HUH?
WERE YOU REALLY EXPECTING TO BEAT ME WITH THAT?
IS THAT ALL?
AHA HA HA
HEH

!!
LET ME PHRASE THIS IN WORDS YOU CAN UNDERSTAND: YOUR OFFER HAS BEEN REJECTED.

I REJECT YOUR OFFER...
...BECAUSE THERE'S STILL A WAY I CAN WIN!

HUH?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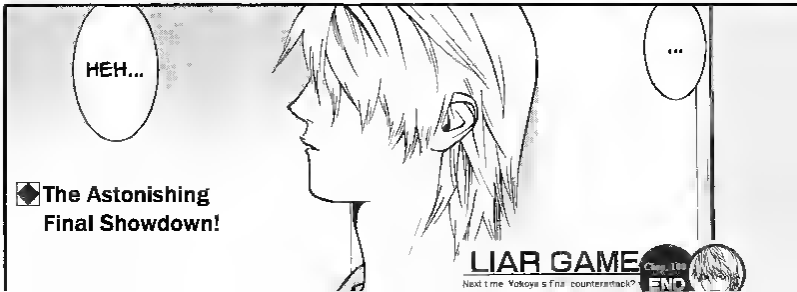
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...
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LIAR GAME
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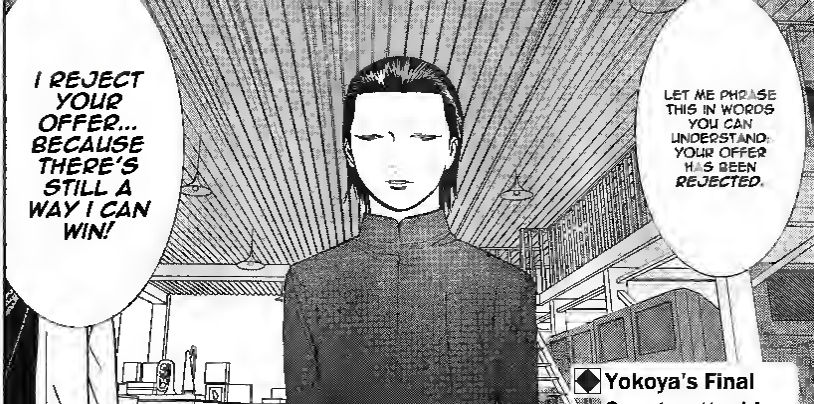
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◆Yokoya's Final Counterattack!

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YOU IN THERE... MR. SLICK, AM I CORRECT?
YEAH, ...
AND ?
WHO'RE YOU?
IT'S THE SNEAK... NORIHIKO YOKOYA.
HUH...
AH...
WHERE DOES YOKOYA THINK HE'S GOING WITH THIS?
I CAN'T QUITE HEAR HIM.
TURN UP THE VOLUME, PLEASE ...
OKAY.
WHO PUT YOU UP TO THIS?
IT'S... L...NG... ST...PY...
A... IYA... M...
A REWARD? EH, NOTHING MUCH... NOTHING AT ALL, REALLY.
DID HE GIVE YOU ANYTHING TO DO THIS? SOME KIND OF REWARD, PERHAPS?
"NOTHING AT ALL," HMM?
BUT WHAT IF THERE WAS SOMETHING IN IT FOR YOU IF YOU STOPPED DOING THIS?
SOME-THING IN IT FOR ME?
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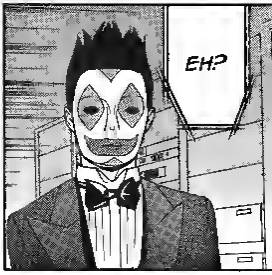

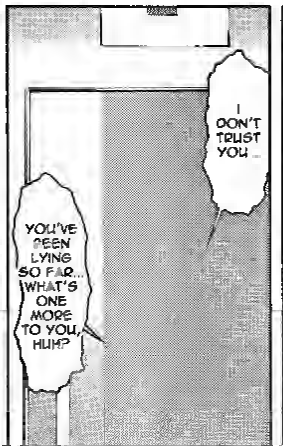

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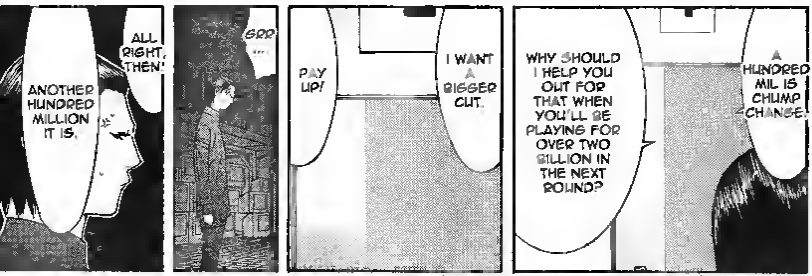
SCRATCH
One Hundred Million Yen
Naruhito Yukuya
WHOA!
I-IS THIS A CHECK? FOR REAL?
IT'S REAL
MY PARENTS HAPPEN TO OWN A MAJOR CORPORATION OF COURSE I CARRY A CHECKBOOK WITH ME
AN INVESTMENT LIKE THIS IS NOTHING TO ME IN THE GRAND SCHEME OF THINGS
...AND I'M CERTAIN TO WIN EVEN MORE IF I CONTINUE
YOU SHOULD ALSO KNOW THAT I'VE WON FAR MORE THAN THIS IN THE LIAR GAME THUS FAR
WELL?
I WILL, BUT YOU HAVE TO HOLD UP YOUR END OF THE DEAL FIRST.
HEY, WHAT GIVES? ARE YOU GOING TO GIVE ME THAT OR NOT?
SCRATCH
WHAT THE?

NO WAY!
OOH!
YOU'VE MADE A WISE DECISION.
HA HA HA... GLAD TO HEAR IT.
THAT'S WAY TOO MUCH MONEY TO IGNORE FOR SOME STUPID PROMISE.
...I'M COMING OUT.
HEH HEH... THANKS!
SNATCH
ALL RIGHT, THEN. HERE'S YOUR CHECK.
HURRY UP AND COME OUT!
WHAT'S GOING ON IN THERE?
SILENCE
?
NOW, PLEASE OPEN THE DOOR AND LET US IN.
HMM
!!


ALL RIGHT, THEN!
ANOTHER HUNDRED MILLION IT IS.
GRR...
PAY UP!
I WANT A BIGGER CUT.
WHY SHOULD I HELP YOU OUT FOR THAT WHEN YOU'LL BE PLAYING FOR OVER TWO BILLION IN THE NEXT ROUND?
A HUNDRED MIL IS CHUMP CHANGE!

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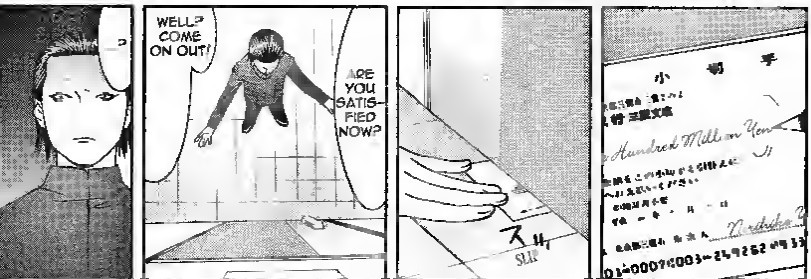
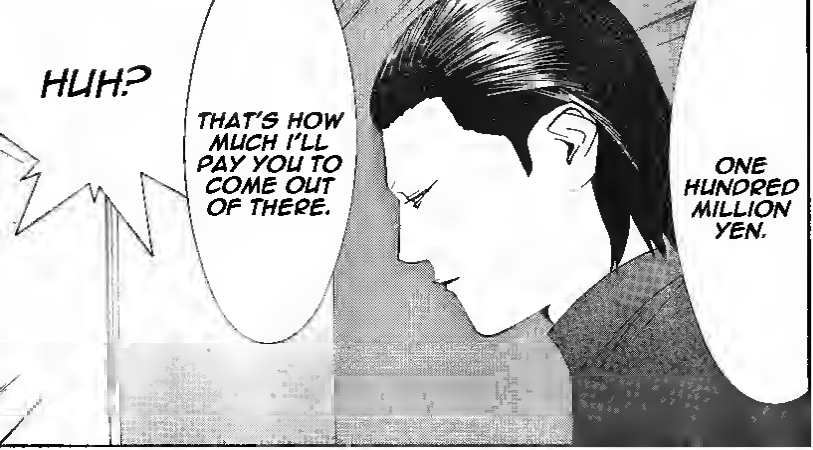
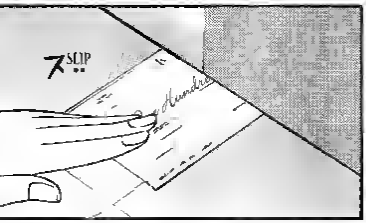


GIMME ANOTHER HUNDRED MILLION!
HEH HEH HEH...I CHANGED MY MIND AGAIN.
NO...!
AHA...
WHADDA YOU WANT?
IT'S NORIHIKO YOKOYA.
I HAVE AN OFFER FOR YOU...
HELLO? IS THIS MR. BUTCH?
KNOCK
KNOCK
!
YEAH?
FINE, THEN! I'LL ASK YOUR FRIEND!
I'VE HAD ENOUGH OF YOU!
BAM
SWISH


HUH?
THAT'S HOW MUCH I'LL PAY YOU TO COME OUT OF THERE.
ONE HUNDRED MILLION YEN.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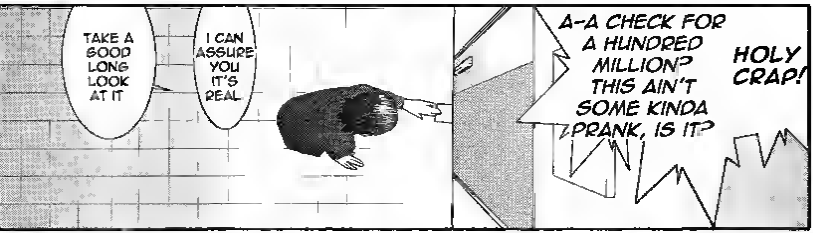
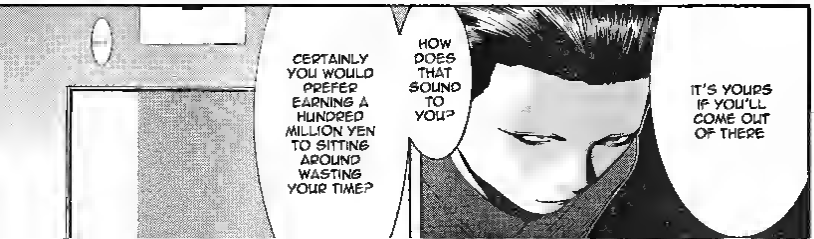
LET ME SHOW YOU
YOU GOTTA BE KIDDING ME...
TH-THAT'S LOT ...


TAKE A GOOD LONG LOOK AT IT
I CAN ASSURE YOU IT'S REAL
A-A CHECK FOR A HUNDRED MILLION? THIS AIN'T SOME KINDA PRANK, IS IT?
HOLY CRAP!


CERTAINLY YOU WOULD PREFER EARNING A HUNDRED MILLION YEN TO SITTING AROUND WASTING YOUR TIME?
HOW DOES THAT SOUND TO YOU?
IT'S YOURS IF YOU'LL COME OUT OF THERE

GIMME THAT CHECK.
...I'M COMIN' OUT.
SNATCH
I'M LETTING GO OF THE CHECK
GLAD WE COULD DO BUSI-NESS
NOW
NOW, HURRY UP AND OPEN THE DOOR!
OF COURSE IT IS!
CHECK IT OUT! IT'S FOR REAL!
WHOA!
SILENCE

I WANT ANOTHER HUNDRED MILLION.
I CHANGED MY MIND.
AHA HA...
WHAAAT?
COME OUT! COME OUT!
BAM
BAM
BAM
COME OUT OF THERE!
DON'T BE SUCH A SPOIL-SPORT, YOKOYA...
ARE YOU MAK-ING FUN OF ME?
GIMME ANOTHER HUNDRED MILLION AND I'LL COME OUTTA HERE

IF SOMEBODY TRICKS YOU, YOU'VE GOT NO ONE TO BLAME BUT YOURSELF.
THIS IS THE LIAR GAME, AFTER ALL...
EH?
AHAHAHAHA!
AHA...
THIS ISN'T A TRICK
THEY'VE ALREADY CHEATED ME OUT OF THREE HUNDRED MILLION IN CHECKS. WHAT'S TO STOP THEM FROM CHEATING US AGAIN?
THERE'S NO GUARANTEE THEY'LL ACTUALLY OPEN THE DOORS LIKE THEY PROMISED.
IF WE ACCEPT THEIR OFFER...
A-AFTER ALL, IT DOESN'T MATTER WHO WINS AS LONG AS WE GET TO MOVE ON, RIGHT?
GRR ...!
M-MAYBE THAT DEAL'S NOT SO BAD AFTER ALL...

IF I DID SOMETHING LIKE THAT, I'D BE NO BETTER THAN YOU, YOKOYA.
BUT YOU WOULDN'T BE THE ONLY CASUALTY. NEITHER OF YOUR TEAMMATES HAVE REACHED NORMAL+H YET - THEY'D GO DOWN WITH YOU.
IF WE WENT BACK ON OUR WORD, THEN THERE'D BE NO HOPE LEFT FOR YOU, YOKOYA - YOU'D LOSE, PLAIN AND SIMPLE.
I DON'T WANT THAT AT ALL.
I'M FINE WITH BEATING YOU, YOKOYA, BUT MY PROMISE IS TO HELP AS MANY PEOPLE AS I CAN - INCLUDING THEM.
SO YOU CAN BE SURE...
WE'LL KEEP OUR PROMISE.
KANZAKI MAKE NO MISTAKE - AFTER THIS, I WILL SPARE NO EFFORT MAKING EVERY MOMENT OF YOUR EXISTENCE A LIVING HELL.
I WAS MERELY CARELESS IN THIS ROUND, THAT'S ALL. I SAW NO NEED TO WASTE MY BEST TACTICS ON A TRIFLING "QUALIFIER" SUCH AS THIS.
URGH

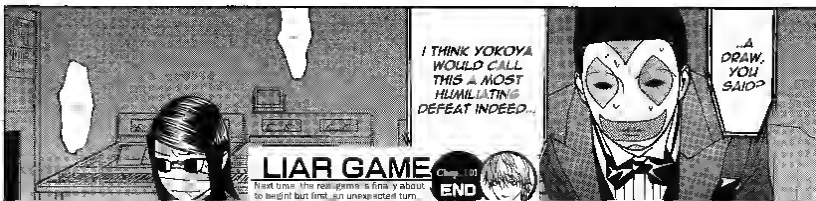
!!
A-ALL RIGHT!
...BUT NOW, IT APPEARS I HAVE NO CHOICE BUT TO ACCEPT YOUR TERMS.
YOU EXAGG-ERATE.
VICTORY GOES TO KANZAKI!
POW
AHAHA! YOKOYA HAS CAPITULATED!
AH... I SEE YOUR POINT
TECHNICALLY, ALL THAT AKIYAMA AND KANZAKI HAVE MANAGED TO DO THIS ROUND IS FORCE A DRAW
WHILE IT'S TRUE THAT KANZAKI CAN NOW ACHIEVE THE VICTORY CONDITION, YOKOYA CAN NOW ACHIEVE IT AS WELL.

GOOD BOTH FOUR-EYES AND I ARE NOW NORMAL-ish
NOW WE BOTH CAN WIN...
FLASH
WE LOOK LIKE THE EXAMINATION ROOMS AFTER CLOSE...
EVERYBODY SOMEWHERE, EVERYBODY ELSE
AND SO OUR GROUP WAS ABLE TO MAKE CONTACT WITH MR. BIG AND THE OTHERS.
FLASH
!!
MR. SLICK! TIME TO COME OUT!
ALL RIGHT, NOW... JUST AS WE PROMISED, WE'LL OPEN UP THE EXAMINATION ROOMS FOR YOU
!?
WHA...?
YOU GOT SOME BALLS PULLIN THAT "GIVE A MOUSE A COOKIE" CRAP WITH US!
HEY, WHAT GIVES, SLICK?
CREEEEEAK

THANKS, GUYS. ♡
WHAT THE HELL?
HUH ...?
HOW ...?
TH-THEN THE ONE NEXT DOOR...
!!
YOU THOUGHT IT WAS SLICK WHO YOU WERE TRYING TO BRIBE, BUT IT WAS ME BEHIND THE DOOR ALL ALONG
TOO BAD
A HUNDRED MIL SURE DOESN'T MEAN A LOT TO YOU
HEH HEH HEH
JUST THINK BACK A BIT. WHY DID YOU THREE THINK THAT SLITCH AND SLICK WERE IN THE TWO ROOMS ON THE LEFT?
HEH HEH HEH
BUT HOW DID YOU MAKE THE SWITCH?
? ?
THAT'S RIGHT... HERE'S AKAGI!
TA-DA!
ガチャ KA CLICK

WE'VE GOT AKASI AND AKIYAMA IN THESE TWO, AND...
HOW THE HELL ARE YOU OUT HERE? AND WHO THE HELL IS THAT IN THERE?
AH!
...BUTCH AND SLICK IN THESE TWO.
SO I SET UP A LITTLE BOOBY TRAP
I KNEW FROM EXPERIENCE YOU'D TRY TO BUY BUTCH AND SLICK OVER TO YOUR SIDE
!!
I GOT 'EM BACKWARDS ON PURPOSE
HEH HEH HEH AND YOU JUST ATE IT ALL RIGHT UP.
KEEPING OUR VOICES LOW DID MOST OF THE WORK, THOUGH. NOT TO MENTION THE DOOR IN THE WAY
TRYING TO SOUND LIKE THE TWO OF THEM WAS THE HARD PART.

AND SO HERE WE ARE.
THANKS A BUNCH, YOKOYA.
◆Yokoya's Humiliating Draw!


I THINK YOKOYA WOULD CALL THIS A MOST HUMILIATING DEFEAT INDEED...
...A DRAW, YOU SAID?
LIAR GAME
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A WALL THAT TACTICS CAN'T TEAR DOWN..

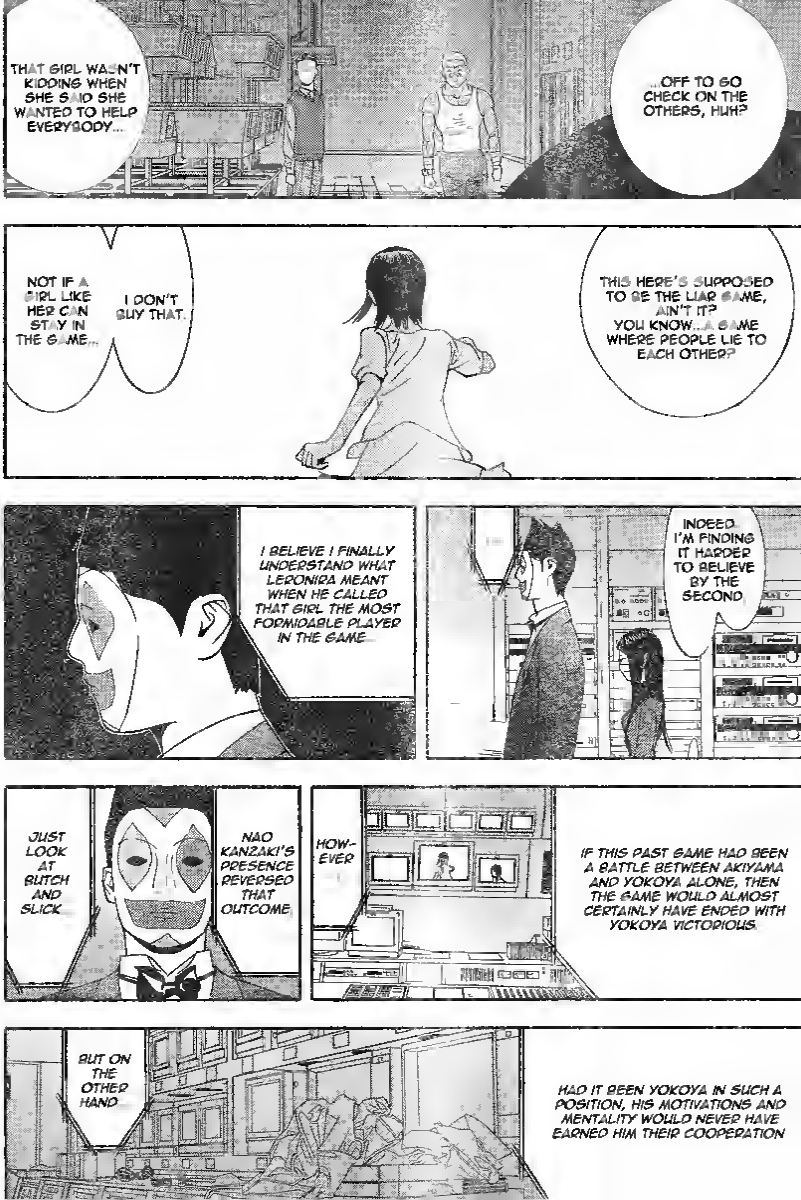
"計略"では打ち崩せない壁。

WE MADE CONTACT WITH MR. BIG AND THE OTHERS
THE YOKOYA GROUP ACCEPTED OUR OFFER
FLASH
◆The Lockdown Succeeds. And Then...

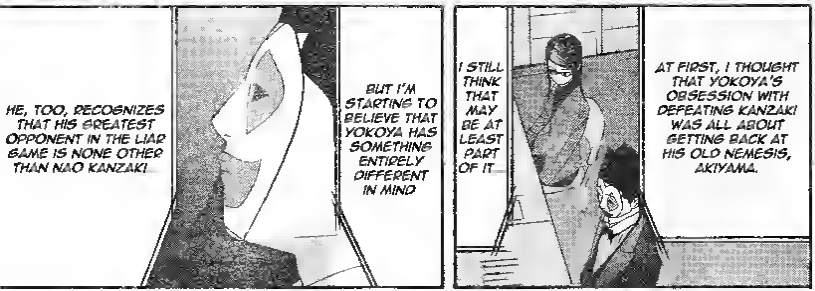
HEH HEH HEH
CREAK
AFTER THAT, FOUR-EYES AND I REACHED THE NORMAL+H VICTORY CONDITION, AND JUST AS PROMISED, WE UNLOCKED THE EXAMINATION ROOMS

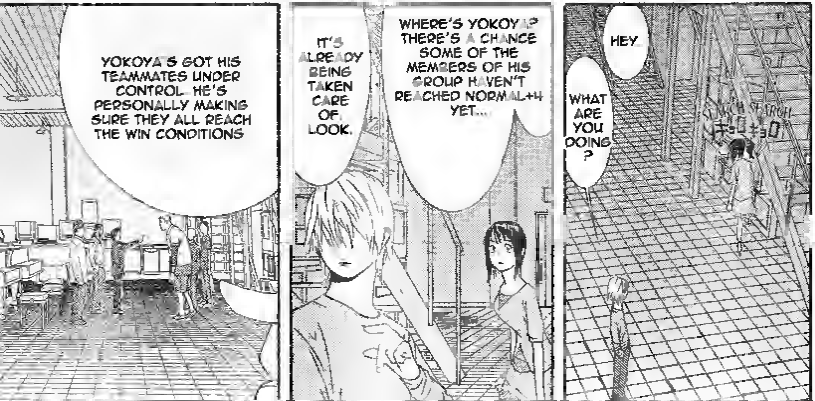
UGH
THANKS AGAIN, YOKOYA.
One Hundred Million Yen
Yasuhiko Yokoya

HUH?
CREAK
IT'S OKAY TO COME OUT NOW!
BUTCH! SLICK!
YEAH!
SO? DID IT WORK OUT?
CREAK
ALREADY?
THANKS
SEE
AWW
THANK YOU SO MUCH...
THANKS TO YOU TWO, WE ALL MANAGED TO PULL THROUGH THIS ONE.
AGAIN, THANK YOU BOTH VERY MUCH!
I'LL EXPLAIN LATER RIGHT NOW. I GOTTA GO MAKE SURE ALL THE OTHERS HAVE REACHED THE WIN CONDITIONS
HOW DID WE, IF ALL WE DID WAS HANG OUT IN THE EXAMINATION ROOMS?
YOU'RE SAYING WE HELPED, BUT...


THAT GIRL WASN'T KIDDING WHEN SHE SAID SHE WANTED TO HELP EVERYBODY...
...OFF TO GO CHECK ON THE OTHERS, HUH?
NOT IF A GIRL LIKE HER CAN STAY IN THE GAME...
I DON'T BUY THAT.
THIS HERE'S SUPPOSED TO BE THE LIAR GAME, AIN'T IT? YOU KNOW...A GAME WHERE PEOPLE LIE TO EACH OTHER?
I BELIEVE I FINALLY UNDERSTAND WHAT LEONIRA MEANT WHEN HE CALLED THAT GIRL THE MOST FORMIDABLE PLAYER IN THE GAME.
INDEED. I'M FINDING IT HARDER TO BELIEVE BY THE SECOND.
JUST LOOK AT BUTCH AND SLICK...
NAO KANZAKI'S PRESENCE REVERSED THAT OUTCOME.
HOW-EVER
IF THIS PAST GAME HAD BEEN A BATTLE BETWEEN AKIYAMA AND YOKOYA ALONE, THEN THE GAME WOULD ALMOST CERTAINLY HAVE ENDED WITH YOKOYA VICTORIOUS.
BUT ON THE OTHER HAND...
HAD IT BEEN YOKOYA IN SUCH A POSITION, HIS MOTIVATIONS AND MENTALITY WOULD NEVER HAVE EARNED HIM THEIR COOPERATION

...KANZAKI SUCCEEDED IN BRINGING THOSE TWO OVER TO HER SIDE.

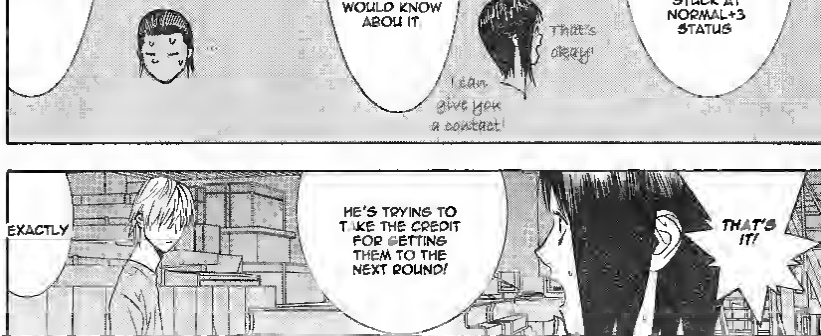

HE, TOO, RECOGNIZES THAT HIS GREATEST OPPONENT IN THE LIAR GAME IS NONE OTHER THAN NAO KANZAKI.
BUT I'M STARTING TO BELIEVE THAT YOKOYA HAS SOMETHING ENTIRELY DIFFERENT IN MIND
I STILL THINK THAT MAY BE AT LEAST PART OF IT.
AT FIRST, I THOUGHT THAT YOKOYA'S OBSESSION WITH DEFEATING KANZAKI WAS ALL ABOUT GETTING BACK AT HIS OLD NEMESIS, AKIYAMA.

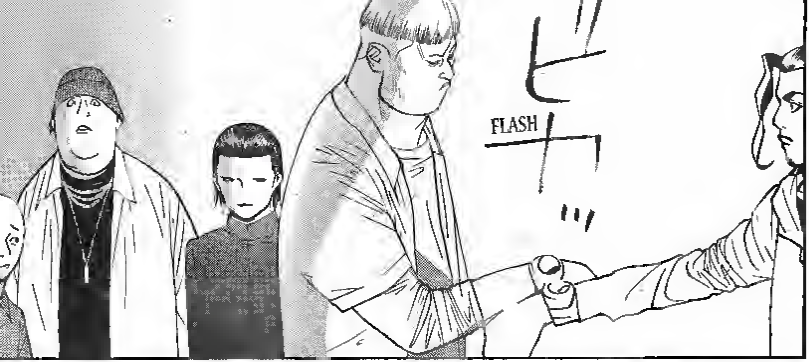

YOKOYA'S GOT HIS TEAMMATES UNDER CONTROL. HE'S PERSONALLY MAKING SURE THEY ALL REACH THE WIN CONDITIONS
IT'S ALREADY BEING TAKEN CARE OF. LOOK.
WHERE'S YOKOYA? THERE'S A CHANCE SOME OF THE MEMBERS OF HIS GROUP HAVEN'T REACHED NORMAL+4 YET...
HEY
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?

YOU COULD SAY HE'S PLAYING THE NEXT ROUND RIGHT NOW.

?
SINCE YOKOYA KNOWS WHAT'S GOOD FOR HIM, HE'LL TRY TO KEEP THEM THAT WAY.
FORELOCK AND CHUBBY ARE STILL LOYAL TO HIM GOING INTO THE FOURTH ROUND.

YOKOYA'D NEVER BE ABLE TO LIVE IT DOWN.
It was Nao Kanzaki who bailed us out!
IF YOU WERE THE ONE WHO GAVE HIM THE CONTACT HE NEEDED TO REACH NORMAL+4, EVERYBODY WOULD KNOW ABOU IT.
I'm still only Normal +3!
Aw, man!
SAY THAT FORELOCK WAS LEFT TO HIS OWN DEVICES AND SOMEHOW MANAGED TO END UP STUCK AT NORMAL+3 STATUS
That's okay!
I can give you a contact!


EXACTLY
HE'S TRYING TO TAKE THE CREDIT FOR GETTING THEM TO THE NEXT ROUND!
THAT'S IT!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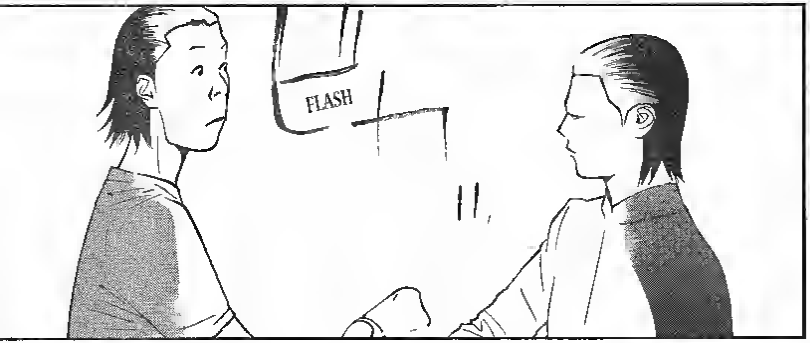
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THAT'S GOOD, BECAUSE TIME'S ALMOST UP!
EVERYBODY SHOULD HAVE REACHED NORMAL+H BY NOW...
ALL RIGHT

WHISTLE
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WHISTLE

ZERO!
PERIOD 3
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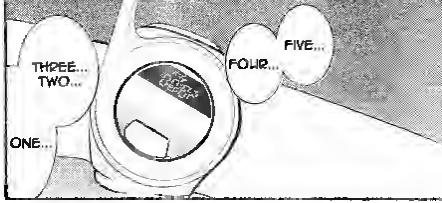
ONE...
THREE... TWO...
FOUR...
FIVE...

GAAAAAME OVEEEEER!
AND WITH THAT, THE PANDEMIC GAME WAS FINALLY OVER
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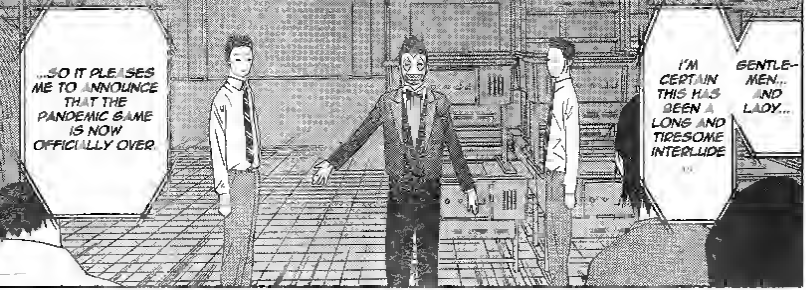
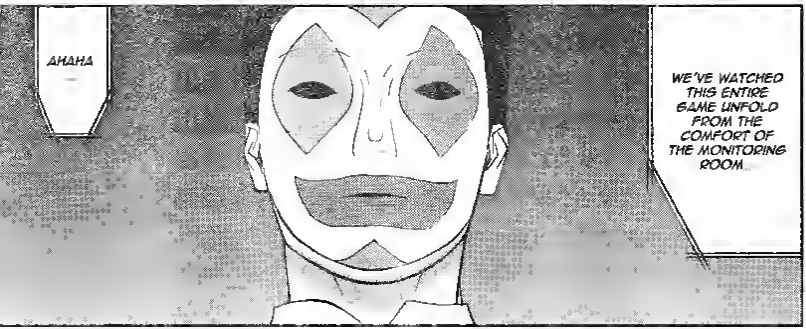

...SO IT PLEASES ME TO ANNOUNCE THAT THE PANDEMIC GAME IS NOW OFFICIALLY OVER
I'M CERTAIN THIS HAS BEEN A LONG AND TIRESOME INTERLUDE
GENTLE-MEN... AND LADY...


AHAHA
WE'VE WATCHED THIS ENTIRE GAME UNFOLD FROM THE COMFORT OF THE MONITORING ROOM...

...AND I MUST ADMIT, YOU ALL PUT ON QUITE AN ENTERTAINING SHOW

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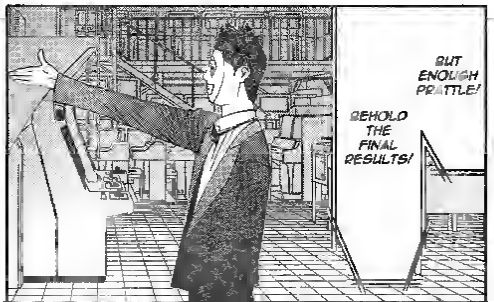
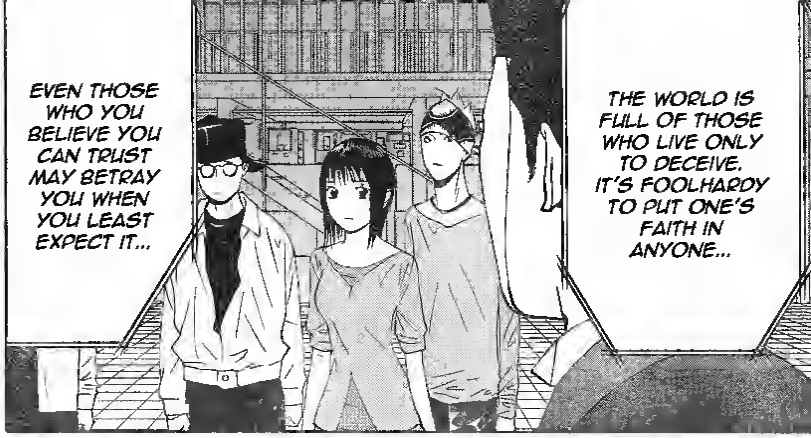
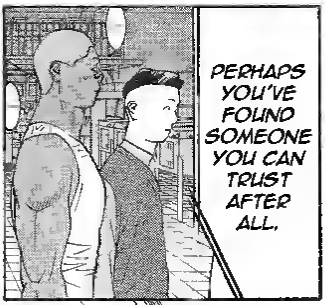

BUT ENOUGH PRATTLE!
BEHOLD THE FINAL RESULTS!

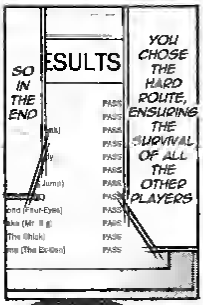
FINAL RESULTS

Eiichi Ohtsuka (Forelock)	PASS
Kiyoshi Saeki (Slick)	PASS
Norihiko Yokoya (The Sneak)	PASS
Kouta Akagi (Bandana)	PASS
Yasuhiko Yasukawa (Baldy)	PASS
Teppei Ikezawa (Chubby)	PASS
Hiro Shimataka (Young Jump)	PASS
Tatsuya Kawai (Butch)	PASS
Kazuya Makizono (Four-Eyes)	PASS
Kouichi Taninaka (Mr. Big)	PASS
Nao Kanzaki (The Chick)	PASS
Shinichi Akiyama (The Ex-Con)	PASS

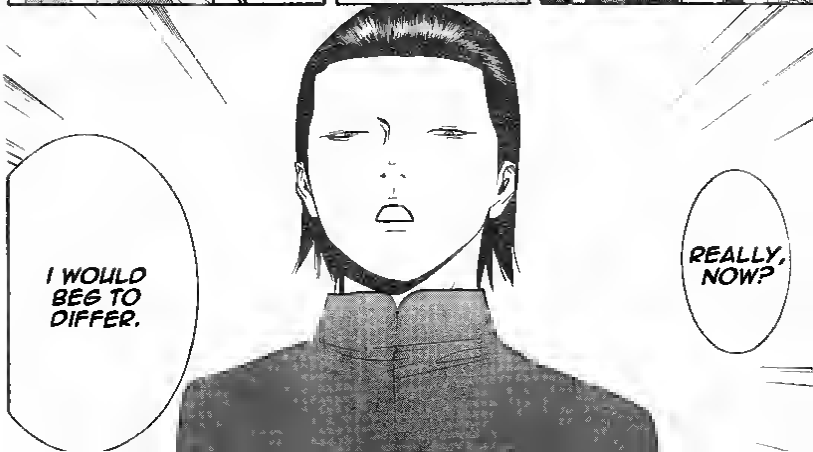
HUH?
WOULD YOU CARE TO SHARE YOUR OBSERVATIONS ABOUT THIS PAST GAME WITH US, MS. KANZAKI?
W-WELL...
THE WAY I SAW IT, THE POINT OF THE PANDEMIC GAME WAS TO MAKE US ASK OURSELVES ABOUT THE MEANINGS OF "TRUST"...
IN THIS GAME, YOU START TO FEEL AS IF YOU CAN'T TRUST ANYBODY...
...AND AS YOU GROW MORE SUSPICIOUS OF OTHERS, YOU GIVE THEM REASON TO BE SUSPICIOUS OF YOU IN TURN...
...BUT IN THE END, IT DIDN'T REALLY MATTER...
EVEN IF IT WAS ONLY FOR A LITTLE WHILE...
. IT FELT LIKE WE CONNECTED SOMEHOW...
AHAHA...
SO YOU SAY...
"TIS A GOOD THING, TO HAVE FAITH IN ONE'S FELLOW MAN"...SUCH A SENTIMENT I HAVE HEARD MANY TIMES BEFORE...
...BUT IT'S FAR EASIER TO SAY THAN TO LIVE BY.


EVEN THOSE WHO YOU BELIEVE YOU CAN TRUST MAY BETRAY YOU WHEN YOU LEAST EXPECT IT...
THE WORLD IS FULL OF THOSE WHO LIVE ONLY TO DECEIVE. IT'S FOOLHARDY TO PUT ONE'S FAITH IN ANYONE...

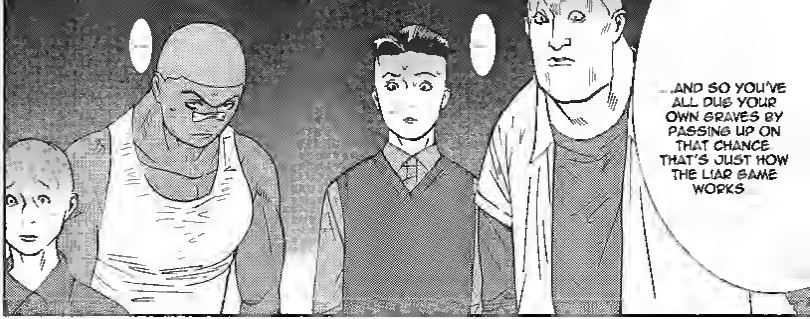

PERHAPS YOU'VE FOUND SOMEONE YOU CAN TRUST AFTER ALL.


SO IN THE END
ESULTS
YOU CHOSE THE HARD ROUTE, ENSURING THE SURVIVAL OF ALL THE OTHER PLAYERS

THE QUESTION OF WHO TO TRUST IS NEARLY IMPOSSIBLE TO ANSWER.
BUT EVEN SO...

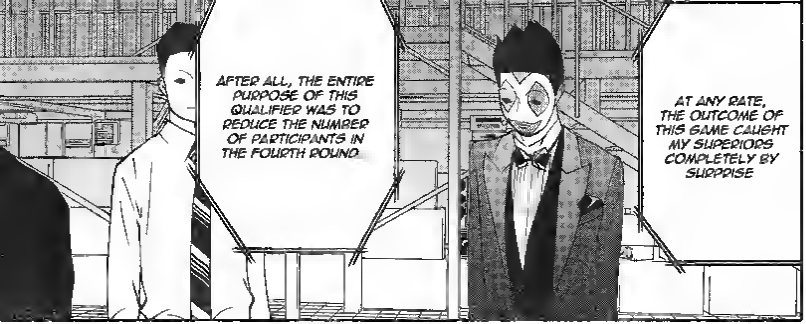

I WOULD BEG TO DIFFER.
REALLY, NOW?

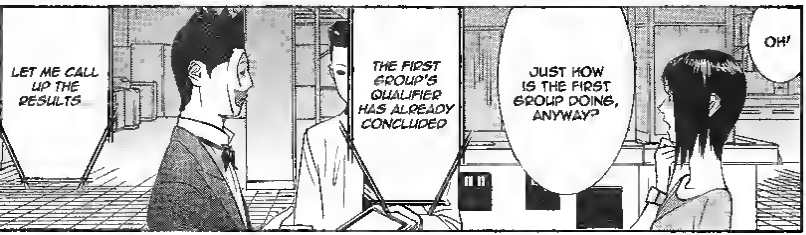
YOK-OYA?
THIS IS THE LIAR GAME... A GAME OF LIARS.
THE WINNER IS WHOEVER CAN DECEIVE EVERYONE ELSE.
NOW ASK YOUR-SELVES:
HOW HAVE ANY OF YOU GAINED BY ENSURING THAT EVERYONE SURVIVED THIS ROUND?
!?
!?
I'LL BE BLUNT HERE...
...YOU'RE ALL GOING TO WISH YOU HADN'T DONE THAT.
THIS QUALIFIER WAS YOUR CHANCE TO THIN OUT YOUR COMPETITION...


...AND SO YOU'VE ALL DUG YOUR OWN GRAVES BY PASSING UP ON THAT CHANCE THAT'S JUST HOW THE LIAR GAME WORKS

NOW, NOW...
STOP SAYING THINGS LIKE THAT, YOKOYA!
THAT'S NOT TRUE AT ALL!

I'M CERTAIN THAT THE TWO OF YOU WILL SETTLE THIS ARGUMENT IN THE GAME TO COME


AFTER ALL, THE ENTIRE PURPOSE OF THIS QUALIFIER WAS TO REDUCE THE NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS IN THE FOURTH ROUND.
AT ANY RATE, THE OUTCOME OF THIS GAME CAUGHT MY SUPERIORS COMPLETELY BY SURPRISE


LET ME CALL UP THE RESULTS.
THE FIRST GROUP'S QUALIFIER HAS ALREADY CONCLUDED
JUST HOW IS THE FIRST GROUP DOING, ANYWAY?
OH!

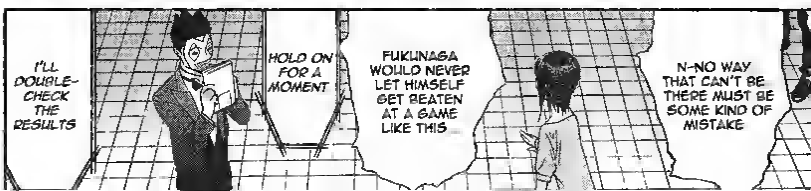
...AND, OF COURSE, SIX LOSERS.
HMM. IT APPEARS THERE WERE SIX WINNERS...

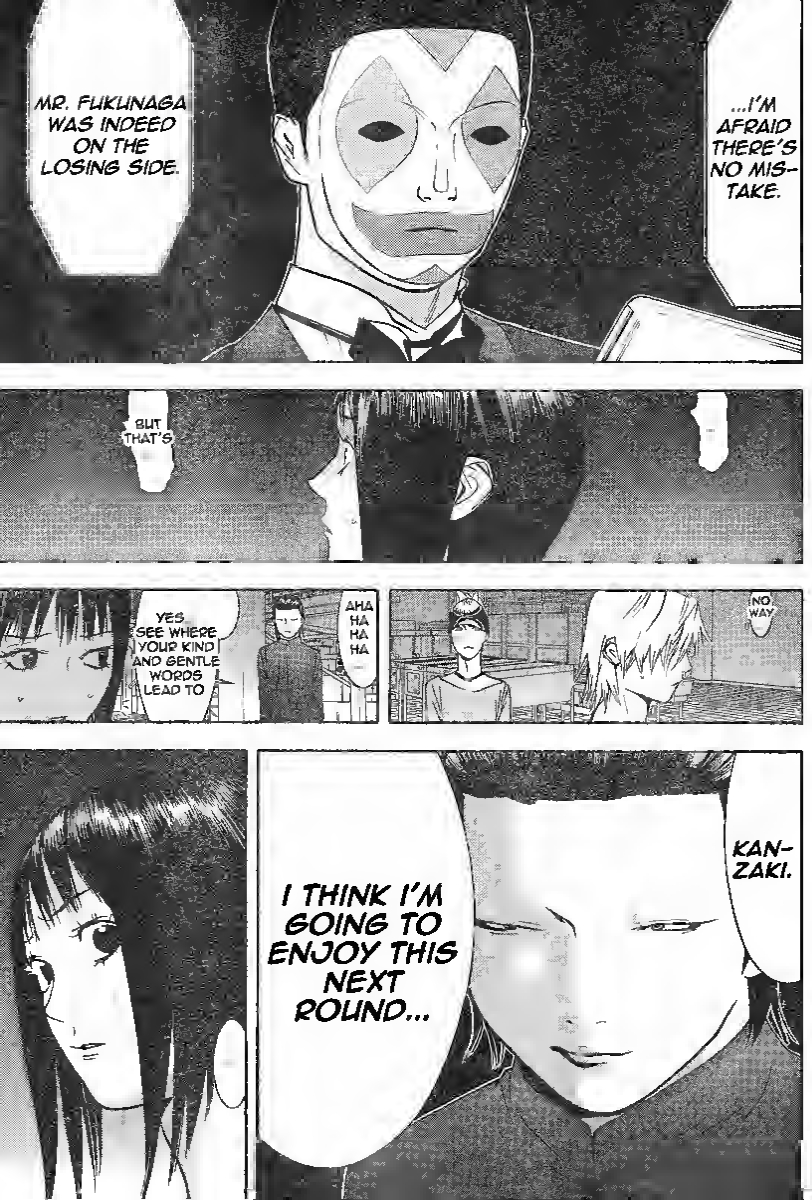
HUH?
MR. FUKUNAGA DIDN'T LET ANY OF THE OTHER PLAYERS LOSE
HMM? OH, I'M SORRY, MS KANZAKI, BUT YOU'RE QUITE MISTAKEN

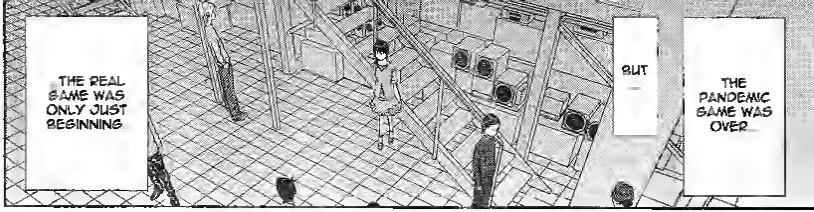
DARN IT, FUKUNAGA
WHY DID YOU HAVE TO GO AND LET THE OTHER SIX LOSE?
NOW, THERE'S A RESULT MY SUPERIORS ARE SURE TO BE SATISFIED WITH. AN EVEN WIN/LOSS RATIO

MR. FUKUNAGA IS ONE OF THE SIX WHO LOST.
...WHAT I MEAN IS, HE WAS IN NO POSITION TO DECIDE WHO WOULD WIN OR LOSE.

WHAAA AAAAA AAAAA AAAAA AAAA?


I'LL DOUBLE-CHECK THE RESULTS
HOLD ON FOR A MOMENT
FUKUNAGA WOULD NEVER LET HIMSELF GET BEATEN AT A GAME LIKE THIS...
N-NO WAY THAT CAN'T BE THERE MUST BE SOME KIND OF MISTAKE


MR. FUKUNAGA WAS INDEED ON THE LOSING SIDE.
...I'M AFRAID THERE'S NO MISTAKE.
BUT THAT'S
YES, SEE WHERE YOUR KIND AND GENTLE WORDS LEAD TO
AHA HA HA HA
NO WAY
KANZAKI.
I THINK I'M GOING TO ENJOY THIS NEXT ROUND...


THE REAL GAME WAS ONLY JUST BEGINNING
BUT...
THE PANDEMIC GAME WAS OVER...

...THE LONG-AWAITED START OF THE FOURTH ROUND.
IT HAD ALL BEEN LEADING UP TO THIS...
Fukunaga Defeated? Into the Tempest of the Fourth Round!
LIAR GAME
Next time: what fate lies in store for Fukunaga?
END

The Pandemic Game is finally over. And now...

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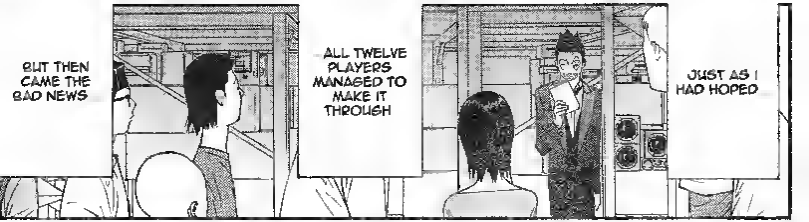

Fukunaga Defeated?

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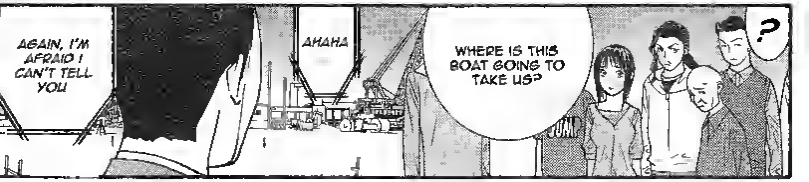
AND...WHAT HAPPENS TO THE PLAYERS WHO DIDN'T MAKE IT THROUGH THE QUALIFIER?
...H-HOW DID FUKUNAGA LOSE?
B-BUT...
SINCE THE TWELVE OF YOU ALL PASSED THIS QUALIFIER, WE WILL NOW PROCEED DIRECTLY TO THE FOURTH ROUND.
...
...BUT I AM AFRAID I CANNOT ANSWER THAT QUESTION.
I DO APOLOGIZE...
BUT I...
FROM THIS POINT ONWARDS, YOU SHOULD BE CONCERNED LESS ABOUT THE OTHER PLAYERS AND MORE ABOUT YOURSELF.
MS. KANZAKI... DON'T FORGET THAT THE TRUE CONTEST IS ABOUT TO BEGIN.

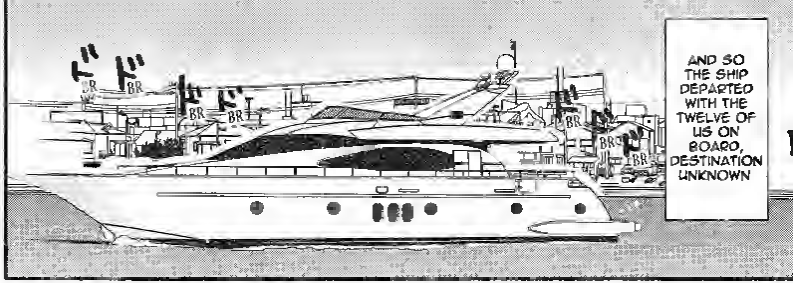
NOW, LET US BE OFF TO THE BATTLEGROUND FOR THE NEXT ROUND!
HUH?
WE'RE NOT DOING IT HERE?
OH, MOST CERTAINLY NOT
THIS LOCATION WAS SOLELY MEANT FOR HOLDING THE QUALIFYING ROUND
THE REAL GAME IS TO BE PLAYED SOMEWHERE ELSE ENTIRELY
THE WRISTWATCH TRANSMITTERS YOU'RE ALL WEARING WILL BE USED IN THE NEXT GAME AS WELL, SO PLEASE, KEEP THEM ON
NOW, PLEASE EXIT THE WAREHOUSE AND PROCEED TOWARDS THE HARBOR

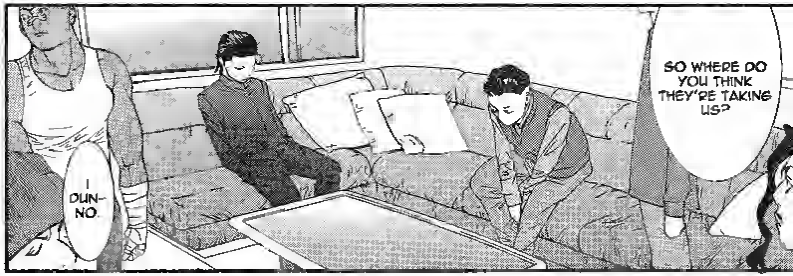
HERE WE ARE, EVERYONE. ALL ABOARD.

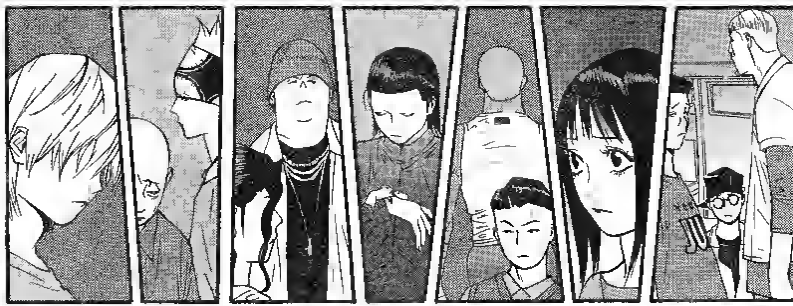

AGAIN, I'M AFRAID I CAN'T TELL YOU
AHAHA
WHERE IS THIS BOAT GOING TO TAKE US?
?

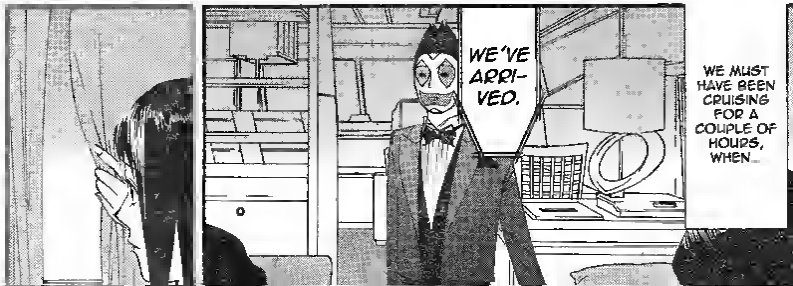
YOU WON'T BE PLACED IN ANY DANGER, NOR WILL YOU BE THREATENED IN ANY WAY.
BUT REST ASSURED.

AS A MATTER OF FACT, YOU MAY FIND OUR DESTINATION QUITE PLEASANT INDEED...AHAHAHA!


AND SO THE SHIP DEPARTED WITH THE TWELVE OF US ON BOARD, DESTINATION UNKNOWN


SO WHERE DO YOU THINK THEY'RE TAKING US?
I DUN-NO.

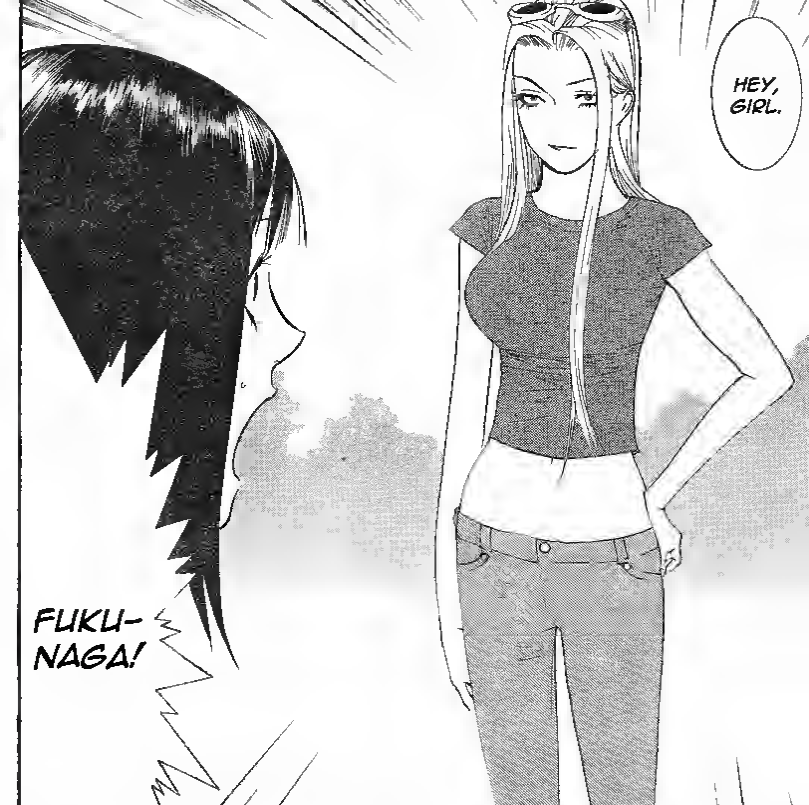



WE'VE ARRI-VED.
WE MUST HAVE BEEN CRUISING FOR A COUPLE OF HOURS, WHEN...

AN ISLAND?
SO THIS IS WHERE WE'LL BE PLAYING THE NEXT ROUND?
OH YES
NOW, PLEASE, EVERYONE IT'S TIME TO DISEMBARK
PRETTY SMALL ISLAND, HUH
INDEED IT IS
IS IT DESERTED?
BACK DURING THE BUBBLE ECONOMY, SOME NOUVEAU RICHE BOUGHT THE ENTIRE ISLAND TO USE AS A VACATION HOME...
...OF COURSE, AFTER THE BUBBLE BURST, IT STARTED CHANGING HANDS LIKE A PEA IN A SHELL GAME IT'S OFFICIALLY "ON THE MARKET", BUT NO ONE ACTUALLY LIVES HERE ANYMORE

NOW, SINCE THE PLAYERS FROM THE OTHER GROUP HAVEN'T ARRIVED YET, WHY DON'T YOU ALL TAKE A NICE STROLL AROUND THE ISLAND IN THE INTERIM?
...SUCH A PRETTY ISLAND...
...
...I WOULDN'T MIND LIVING IN A HOUSE LIKE THAT...
...A POOL... ...EVEN A TENNIS COURT
...THERE'S A MINI GOLF COURSE...

...JUST WHAT KIND OF GAME ARE WE GOING TO BE PLAYING HERE?
IT MAKES ME WONDER ...
WHICH MEANS THIS ISLAND'S A LITTLE LESS THAN A MILE AROUND
IT TOOK ME ABOUT 20 MINUTES TO MAKE THE FULL CIRCLE AROUND THE ISLAND
I'M BACK WHERE I STARTED!
HEY
NAO!
YES?
YOU KNOW, IF THIS ISLAND WASN'T BEING USED FOR THE LIAR GAME, IT REALLY WOULD BE A NICE PLACE TO TAKE A VACATION...


HEY, GIRL.
FUKU-NAGA!

SO YOU REALLY WEREN'T ELIMINATED IN THE QUALIFIERS AFTER ALL!
CAN'T YOU START ONE SINGLE CONVERSATION WITHOUT SAYIN' SOMETHING TO PISS ME OFF?
I DID GET MY ASS... I MEAN, MY PETITE BOTTOM HANDED TO ME!
BUT FOR SOME WEIRD REASON, THEY BROUGHT ME HERE ALONG WITH THE WINNERS
THAT'S GREAT!

THIS ISN'T SOME BOARD GAME WHERE YOU CAN JUST JUMP IN ANY TIME! I DIDN'T PASS THE QUALIFIER, SO I CAN'T PLAY!
IN CASE YOU DON'T RECALL, I LOST!
AND HOW DO YOU FIGURE THAT?
NOW THAT YOU'RE HERE, WE CAN TEAM UP FOR THE FOURTH ROUND, JUST LIKE BEFORE!

I TOOK A LOOK AROUND AND ALL I SAW AT FIRST WERE THE REJECTS FROM THE THIRD ROUND.
YOU'RE RIGHT, THOUGH... I WENT IN THERE PRETTY CONFIDENT I COULDN'T LOSE.
I'M STILL SHARP AS A KNIFE, THANK YOU.
WELL, THAT SAID, I'D LIKE TO KNOW JUST HOW SOMEBODY LIKE YOU GOT BEATEN. I NEVER THOUGHT YOU OF ALL PEOPLE WOULD GET RUSTY...

FUME
THIS ONE GUY COMPLETELY BLINDSIDED ME...
URRGH MY POOR LITTLE STOMACH DOES JUMPING JACKS JUST THINKING ABOUT HIM!

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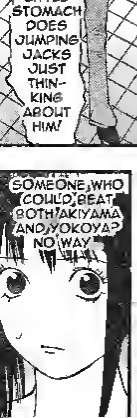
...THERE WAS A RINGER IN THE GAME ALL ALONG.
BUT AS IT TURNED OUT...


SOMEONE, WHO COULD BEAT BOTH AKIYAMA AND YOKOYA? NO WAY!

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...THERE'S A PLAYER ON THIS ISLAND WHO COULD VERY WELL MAKE BOTH AKIYAMA AND YOKOYA LOOK LIKE AMATEURS.
WATCH YOURSELF, NAO...

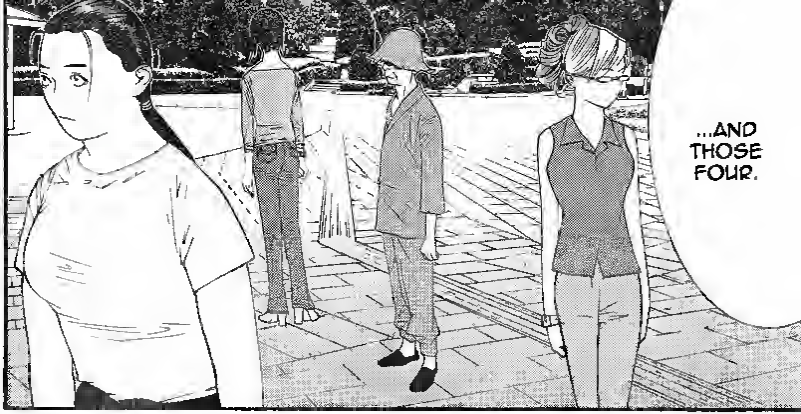
PARDON THE INTERRUPTION, BUT WE'RE ABOUT TO EXPLAIN THE RULES FOR THE FOURTH ROUND. PLEASE REPORT TO THE MAIN BUILDING!
HUH?
THESE ARE THE GUYS WE PLAYED AGAINST BACK IN THE THIRD ROUND'S CONTRABAND GAME!

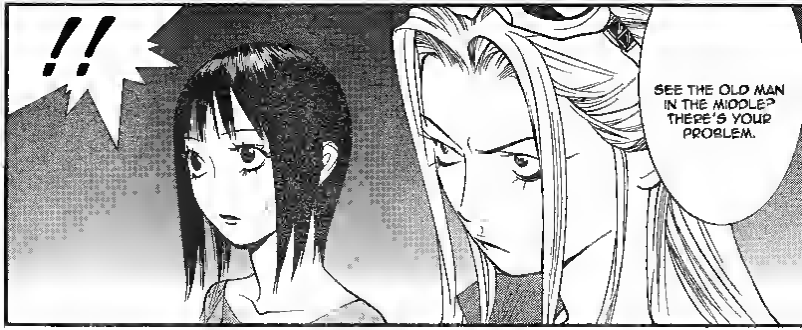
As if I'd lose to a Yuancho rules like these!
ARE YOU KIDDIN' ME?
DON'T TELL ME YOU LOST TO THESE PEOPLE, FUKUNAGA?
...THESE FIVE GENTLEMEN AND I MAKE UP THE LATTER.
OUR QUALIFIER ENDED WITH SIX WINNERS AND SIX LOSERS...

THE WINNERS ARE OVER THERE.

THAT GUY...

THAT GUY...


...AND THOSE FOUR.


!!
SEE THE OLD MAN IN THE MIDDLE? THERE'S YOUR PROBLEM.

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EVERY-ONE!
WELCOME, AND THANK YOU ALL FOR COMING!
!
!

I WILL BE YOUR DEALER FOR THE FOURTH ROUND...
YOU MAY CALL ME ALSAB.

YES. AS YOU ALL HEARD AT THE END OF THE QUALIFIERS, THIS ISLAND IS THE STAGE THAT OUR FOURTH ROUND WILL PLAY OUT UPON!
HE WAS THE "DEALER" FOR OUR GROUP'S QUALIFIER
I KNOW THIS GUY

AT THE END OF THIS GAME, ONE OF YOU MAY VERY WELL WALK AWAY WITH THIS ENTIRE MIND-BOGGLING SUM OF MONEY!
THE PRIZE MONEY FOR THIS ROUND IS AN INCRE-DIBLE 2.3 BILLION YEN!

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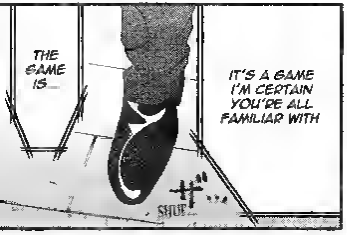
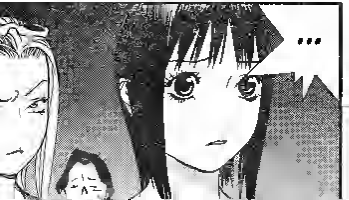
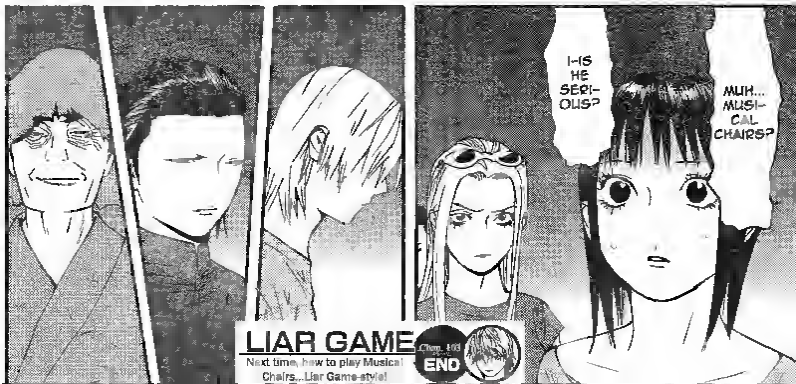




MUSICAL CHAIRS!
An Even Stronger Foe Appears?
And the New Game is...?


I-IS HE SERI-OUS?
MUH... MUSI-CAL CHAIRS?
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MUSICAL CHAIRS!
IT'S TIME TO ANNOUNCE THE GAME FOR THE FOURTH ROUND! THE GAME IS...
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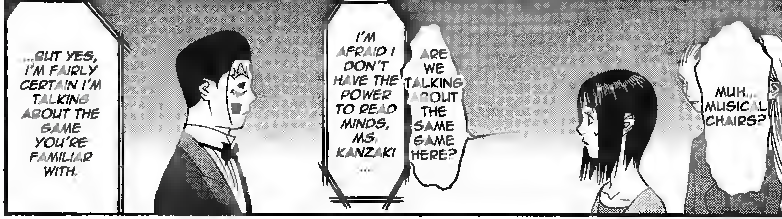

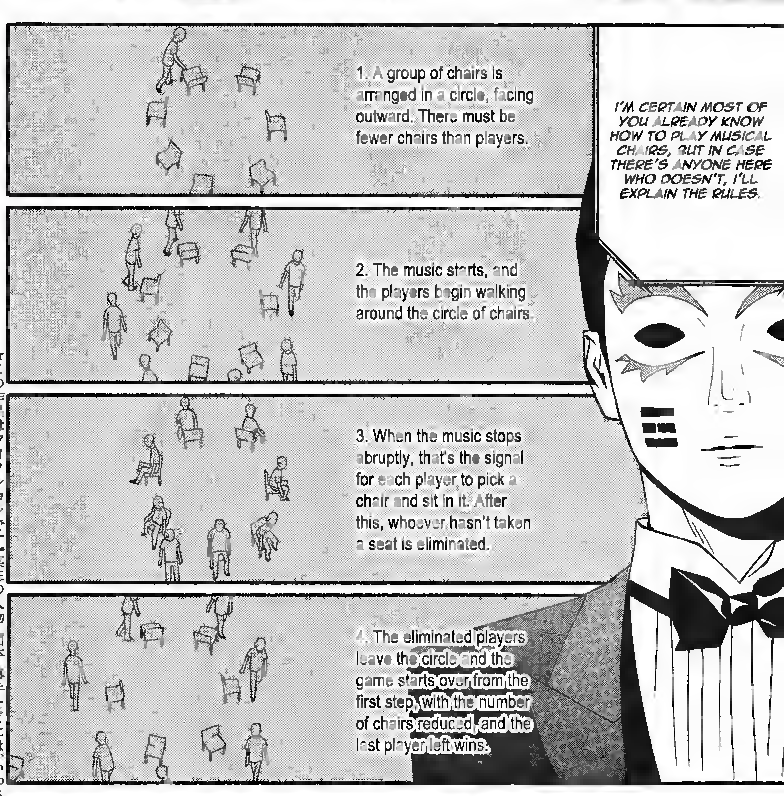

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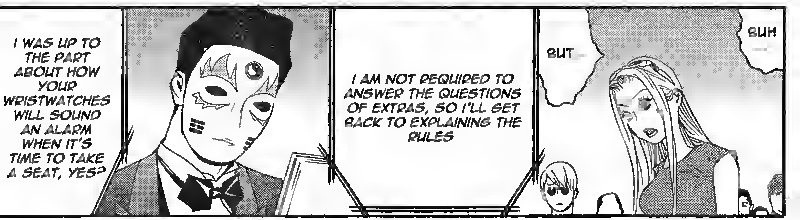
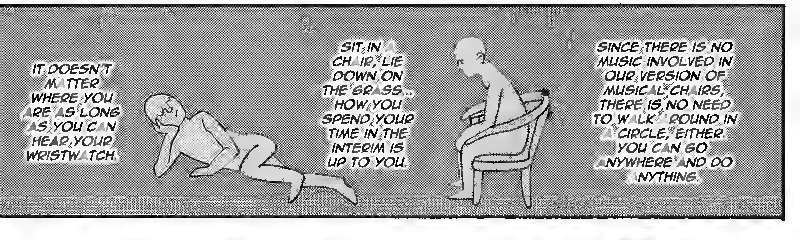
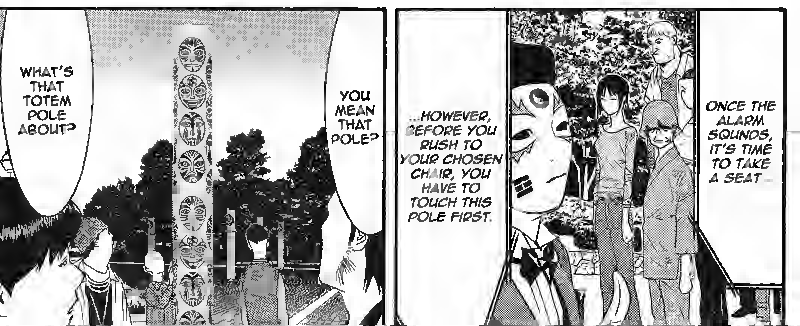
THE PLAYERS TRY TO BEAT EACH OTHER TO THE CHAIRS, WHOEVER DOESN'T TAKE A SEAT LOSES, AND THE NUMBER OF CHAIRS IS REDUCED WITH EACH ITERATION - IN SHORT, THE GROUND RULES ARE IDENTICAL.
IT'S REALLY NOT ALL THAT DIFFERENT.
!
THE MOST OBVIOUS BEING THAT THERE IS NO ACTUAL MUSIC!
THAT SAID, THERE ARE INDEED SOME MINOR DIFFE-RENCES WHICH OUGHT TO BE NOTED
HERE, LET ME DEMON-STRATE
HEY!
BEEP
BEEP
BEEP
BEEP
THE WORD "GO" LIT UP IN BLUE ON MINE!
GO
WHEN IT'S TIME TO SIT, THE WRISTWATCH TRANSMITTERS THAT EACH OF YOU ARE WEARING WILL SOUND AN ALARM.
AND SO, RATHER THAN USING A SUDDEN STOP IN THE MUSIC TO SIGNAL THE PLAYERS TO TAKE A SEAT, OUR VERSION OF MUSICAL CHAIRS USES A DIFFERENT METHOD

'SCUSE ME...
PARDON ME FOR ASKING, BUT I TOOK MY WRISTWATCH OFF AFTER THE QUALIFIERS DO I GET ANOTHER ONE OR SOMETHING?
WELL, MS... I MEAN, MR. FUKUNAGA, I SEEM TO RECALL THAT YOU WERE DEFEATED DURING THE QUALIFIERS...
...WHICH MEANS YOU ARE INELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS GAME.
WHA?
THERE ARE INDEED TWENTY-FOUR PLAYERS GATHERED HERE, BUT AMONG THEM, SIX WERE DEFEATED DURING THE QUALIFIERS...
...AND ONLY THE EIGHTEEN WHO WON ARE ACTUALLY ABLE TO PLAY IN THIS ROUND.
THE REMAINING SIX PLAYERS ARE HERE TO SERVE AS "EXTRAS"
THAT INCLUDES YOU, MR FUKUNAGA
EXTRAS?
WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY THAT?
AN EXTRA'S PURPOSE IS TO PRODUCE THE ILLUSION OF ACTIVITY THROUGH BACKGROUND CHATTER
PLAYERS WHO ARE DEFEATED DURING THE COURSE OF THE GAME WILL ALSO BECOME EXTRAS
HOLD ON A SEC!
ARE YOU SAYING THAT THE ONLY REASON YOU BROUGHT ME AND THE OTHER LOSERS HERE WAS SO WE COULD STAND AROUND AND PRETEND TO BE SCENERY?

JUST SIT BACK AND ENJOY THE GAME, IF YOU LIKE. OR TAKE A STROLL AROUND THE ISLAND AND ENJOY THE SIGHTS. OR RUN AROUND SCREAMING YOUR NAME OVER AND OVER AT THE TOP OF YOUR LUNGS, IF IT PLEASES YOU...
AS THE SAYING GOES, "DO WHAT THOU WILL".
AHA HA HA ...


I WAS UP TO THE PART ABOUT HOW YOUR WRISTWATCHES WILL SOUND AN ALARM WHEN IT'S TIME TO TAKE A SEAT, YES?
I AM NOT REQUIRED TO ANSWER THE QUESTIONS OF EXTRAS, SO I'LL GET BACK TO EXPLAINING THE RULES
BUT...
SUH

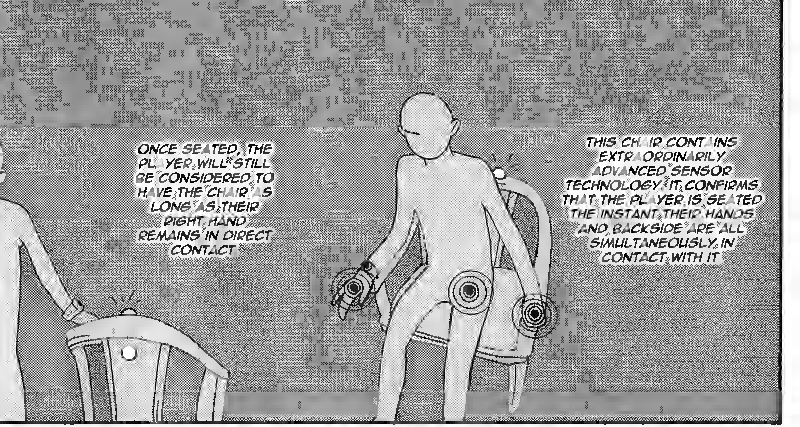

IT DOESN'T MATTER WHERE YOU ARE AS LONG AS YOU CAN HEAR YOUR WRISTWATCH.
SIT IN A CHAIR, LIE DOWN ON THE GRASS... HOW YOU SPEND YOUR TIME IN THE INTERIM IS UP TO YOU.
SINCE THERE IS NO MUSIC INVOLVED IN OUR VERSION OF MUSICAL CHAIRS, THERE IS NO NEED TO WALK ROUND IN A CIRCLE, EITHER. YOU CAN GO ANYWHERE AND DO ANYTHING.


WHAT'S THAT TOTEM POLE ABOUT?
YOU MEAN THAT POLE?
...HOWEVER, BEFORE YOU RUSH TO YOUR CHOSEN CHAIR, YOU HAVE TO TOUCH THIS POLE FIRST.
ONCE THE ALARM SOUNDS, IT'S TIME TO TAKE A SEAT.

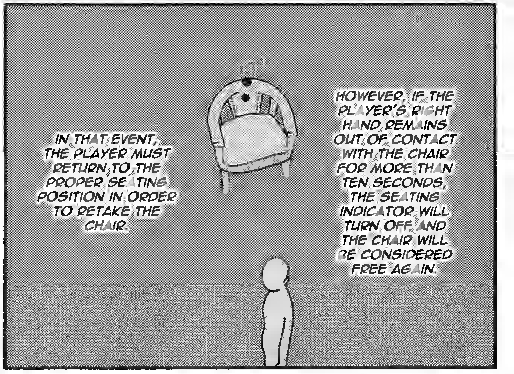
WOULD SOMEONE PLEASE DEMON-STRATE?
LIKE THIS?
HEY!
AFTER SHE TOUCHED THE POLE, THE MESSAGE ON MY WRISTWATCH CHANGED!
SIT
NOW IT SAYS "SIT"!
ONCE YOUR WRISTWATCH SAYS "SIT", THEN AND ONLY THEN MAY YOU TAKE A SEAT.
YOU'LL NEED TO HURRY TO YOUR CHOSEN CHAIR SO YOU CAN TAKE IT BEFORE ANYONE ELSE!
HERE IS ONE OF THE CHAIRS WE'LL BE USING IN THIS GAME.
5
HEY ...
WHAT ARE THE LIGHTS AND THE NUMBER ON THE BACK ABOUT?
A GOOD QUES-TION
THERE IS ANOTHER SPECIAL RULE IN OUR GAME OF MUSICAL CHAIRS. THAT RULE IS...

STU-PID RULE IF YOU ASK ME...
SO THAT'S WHAT THE NUMBER IS ABOUT.
I GET IT ...
FOR EXAMPLE, IF A PLAYER SAT IN THIS #5 CHAIR IN A GIVEN PERIOD, THAT PLAYER WOULD HAVE TO SIT IN A DIFFERENT CHAIR IN THE PERIOD IMMEDIATELY AFTERWARD.
5
...YOU CANNOT SIT IN THE SAME CHAIR TWICE IN SUCCESSION.
THE RULE ONLY CONCERNS SITTING IN THE SAME CHAIR IN CONSECUTIVE PERIODS
THAT WOULD BE FINE.
SAY I SAT IN CHAIR #5 IN ONE PERIOD AND CHAIR #1 IN THE NEXT. WOULD I BE ABLE TO SIT IN CHAIR #5 AGAIN IN THE PERIOD AFTER THAT?
THE SEATING INDICATORS ENSURE THAT A FAIR JUDGMENT IS REACHED IN THIS EVENT.
THOSE OF YOU WHO HAVE PLAYED MUSICAL CHAIRS BEFORE KNOW THIS SCENARIO. TWO STUBBORN PLAYERS TAKE THE SAME CHAIR AT THE SAME TIME AND TRY TO NUDGE EACH OTHER OUT OF THE SEAT
WE CALL THEM THE "SEATING INDICATORS".
NEXT ARE THESE LIGHTS
5
NOW, I'D LIKE THE BOTH OF YOU TO TRY SITTING IN THIS CHAIR AT THE SAME TIME
WOULD YOU TWO GIRLS PLEASE COME TO THE FRONT?
I BELIEVE A DEMON-STRATION IS IN ORDER.

AND SO LONG AS THE SEAT REMAINS, LINT-KEN, THE LIGHTS WILL REMAIN UNLIT.
AS YOU CAN SEE, IT CAN'T BE DONE.
NUDGE
NUDGE
URGH
UMPH
NUDGE
NUDGE
THAT MEANS THAT THE PLAYER IS PROPERLY SEATED.
HEY! THE LIGHTS WENT ON!
THUD
BUMP
OOF!
THAT CONFIRMS THAT YOU'VE TAKEN A SEAT.
MINE HAS... NOW IT SAYS "OK".
MINE HASN'T CHANGED... IT STILL SAYS "SIT".
NOW, PLEASE LOOK AT YOUR WRISTWATCHES, BOTH OF YOU


ONCE SEATED, THE PLAYER WILL STILL BE CONSIDERED TO HAVE THE CHAIR AS LONG AS THEIR RIGHT HAND REMAINS IN DIRECT CONTACT
THIS CHAIR CONTAINS EXTRAORDINARILY ADVANCED SENSOR TECHNOLOGY. IT CONFIRMS THAT THE PLAYER IS SEATED THE INSTANT THEIR HANDS AND BACKSIDE ARE ALL SIMULTANEOUSLY IN CONTACT WITH IT

IN THIS DEMONSTRATION, MS. KANZAKI FAILED TO TAKE THE CHAIR, MEANING SHE WOULD HAVE TO GIVE UP ON IT AND TRY FOR ANOTHER IF THIS WERE A REAL GAME IN PROGRESS
I SEE


IN THAT EVENT, THE PLAYER MUST RETURN TO THE PROPER SEATING POSITION IN ORDER TO RETAKE THE CHAIR
HOWEVER, IF THE PLAYER'S RIGHT HAND REMAINS OUT OF CONTACT WITH THE CHAIR FOR MORE THAN TEN SECONDS, THE SEATING INDICATOR WILL TURN OFF AND THE CHAIR WILL BE CONSIDERED FREE AGAIN

IT SHOULD ALSO BE NOTED THAT, AS ALWAYS, THE USE OF VIOLENCE IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED
TEN MINUTES? KINDA LONG, ISN'T IT?

THOSE WHO DO NOT TAKE A CHAIR WITHIN THIS TIME LIMIT WILL BE ELIMINATED FROM THE GAME AND BECOME EXTRAS.
ONCE THE ALARM SOUNDS, YOU WILL HAVE TEN MINUTES TO TAKE A CHAIR.

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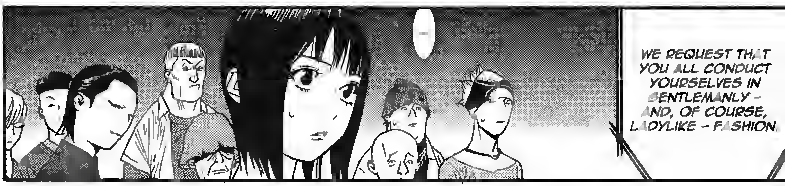

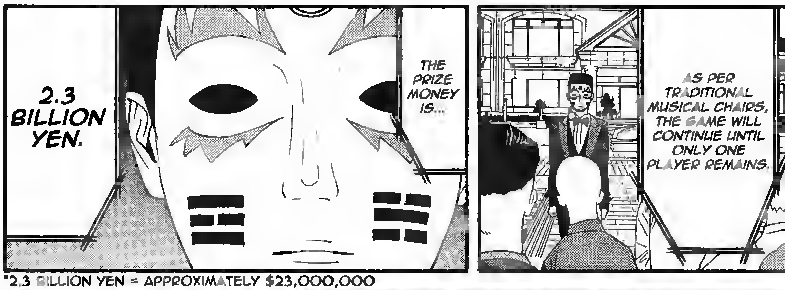
2.3 BILLION YEN.
THE PRIZE MONEY IS...
AS PER TRADITIONAL MUSICAL CHAIRS, THE GAME WILL CONTINUE UNTIL ONLY ONE PLAYER REMAINS.

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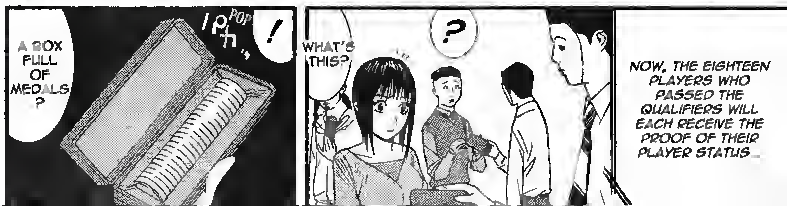
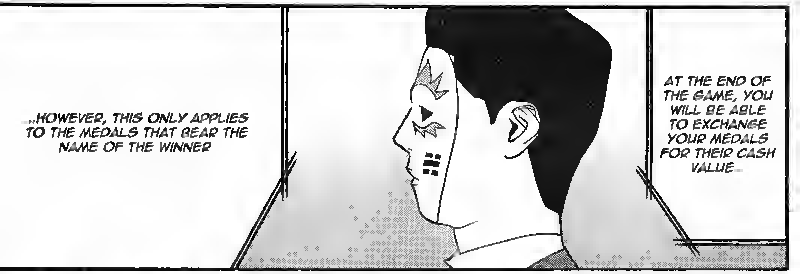
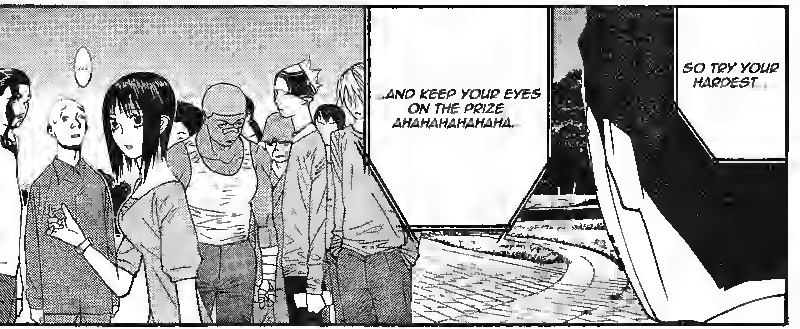

A BOX FULL OF MEDALS...?
POP!
!
WHAT'S THIS?
?
NOW, THE EIGHTEEN PLAYERS WHO PASSED THE QUALIFIERS WILL EACH RECEIVE THE PROOF OF THEIR PLAYER STATUS.

EACH BOX CONTAINS 23 MEDALS. EACH MEDAL IS WORTH ONE HUNDRED MILLION YEN... 2.3 BILLION YEN IN ALL.
NAO KANZAKI
HEY! THEY ALL HAVE MY NAME ENGRAVED ON THEM!


...HOWEVER, THIS ONLY APPLIES TO THE MEDALS THAT BEAR THE NAME OF THE WINNER
AT THE END OF THE GAME, YOU WILL BE ABLE TO EXCHANGE YOUR MEDALS FOR THEIR CASH VALUE...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...AND KEEP YOUR EYES ON THE PRIZE. AHAHAHAHAHAHA.
SO TRY YOUR HARDEST...

...PERHAPS IT'S TIME WE MOVED ON FROM BLAND EXPOSITION TO SOMETHING A BIT MORE ENTERTAINING?
WELL, THEN NOW THAT WE'VE DISCUSSED THE RULES IN MINUTE DETAIL...

LET'S TRY A PRACTICE GAME!
SO, FIRST OF ALL...
OF COURSE...
!!
THIS PRACTICE GAME WILL USE A SOMEWHAT SIMPLIFIED VERSION OF THE RULES
THE GAME WILL START WITH ONLY SEVEN CHAIRS
AND THE TIME LIMIT WILL BE REDUCED FROM TEN MINUTES TO THIRTY SECONDS
SO THE FIRST PERIOD ALONE WILL WIPE OUT OVER HALF THE PLAYERS...
AFTER EACH PERIOD, THE NUMBER OF CHAIRS WILL BE REDUCED BY ONE.
THE GAME WILL CONTINUE UNTIL ONLY THREE CHAIRS REMAIN, AND THE THREE SURVIVING PLAYERS WILL BE DECLARED THE WINNERS OF THE PRACTICE GAME.

...SO THOUGH THIS MAY BE A "PRACTICE" GAME, YOU ALL SHOULD NONETHELESS PLAY TO WIN!
THESE THREE WINNERS WILL RECEIVE A SPECIAL ADVANTAGE IN THE REAL GAME...
THIS IS JUST LIKE THE QUALIFIERS...
!!
...LET THE PRACTICE GAME BEGIN!
ALL RIGHT, THEN ...
YEAH!
NOW, IS EVERY-ONE READY?

SHUFFLE SHUFFLE SHUFFLE SHUFFLE
!!
THE FIRST THING YOU HAVE TO DO AFTER THE ALARM SOUNDS IS TOUCH THE POLE, SO EVERYONE S WAITING OVER THERE FOR THE SIGNAL...
TAP
TAP
HUH? OH, YEAH
TAP
THIS FEELS MORE LIKE BEACH FLAGS THAN MUSICAL CHAIRS
THIS IS SO BORING...
...WHEN'S THAT ALARM GOING TO GO OFF?

DASH
DASH
DASH
DING
DING
DING
DING
DING
DING
DASH
DING DING DING
DING
False Alarm
IF YOU'RE NOT SURE WHETHER A SOUND YOU'RE HEARING IS THE ALARM, CHECK YOUR WRISTWATCH. IT WILL ONLY DISPLAY "60" AFTER THE ALARM HAS SOUNDED
AW, MAN! WE GOT DUPED!
SAY WHAT?
SCREEEECH!
GOOD THING THAT WASN'T REAL, OR I WOULD'VE BEEN IN LAST PLACE...
DON'T SCREW AROUND WITH US LIKE THAT...
pant pant pant...
CRAP

ALL RIGHT! THIS ONE'S THE REAL THING!
!!
DING DING DING
JUMP
DASH
THIS ONE'S MINE!
DASH
DASH
DASH
DASH
DASH
DASH
DASH
DASH
DAMMIT! THAT FALSE ALARM DREW US ALL AWAY FROM THE POLE!
AND IT'S PUT ME IN THE LEAD!
HUH?
DASH
DASH
SWISH
WHOA!
SKIDDDDD

SHUF
SHUF
SHUF
HEY!
WHAT IS THIS?
I'M NOT NEARLY FAST ENOUGH TO KEEP UP...I CAN'T WIN THIS...
THE LIAR GAME'S NEVER HAD AN ATHLETIC COMPETITION BEFORE...
AHHHHHH...
THE ELEVEN PLAYERS WHO WERE UNABLE TO TAKE A SEAT ARE NOW ELIMINATED!
I DIDN'T STAND A CHANCE...
TIME'S UP!
THE FIRST PERIOD IS NOW OVER!
AND I KNOW WHAT THIS GAME'S REALLY ABOUT.
I SAW THE WHOLE THING
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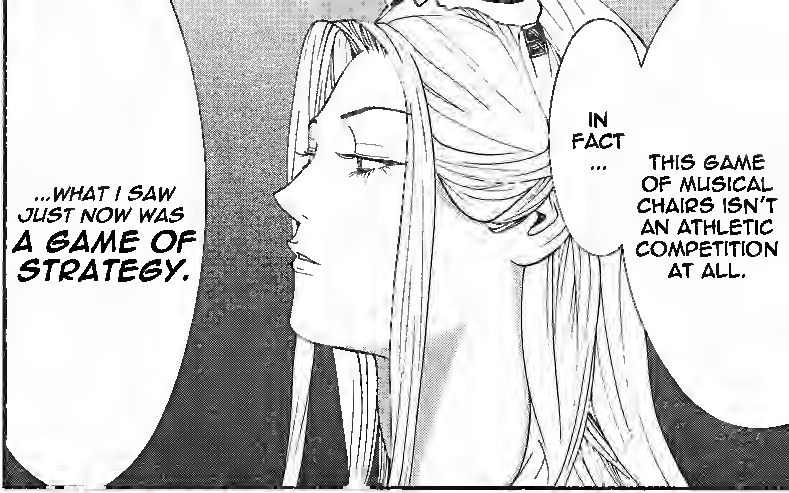
YOU'VE GOT IT ALL WRONG, NAO.



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Next time, where does the strategy lie in this strange game of musical chairs?

Qualifiers: Group 1
The Winners
(Code names in parentheses)
Osamu Shimoharada (Mushroom)
Makoto Sakai (White Suit)
Takashi Horimoto (Rules)
Miho Mikamoto (Office Lady)
Ken Kimura (Shirt)
Yoshio Abe (Plaid Jumper)
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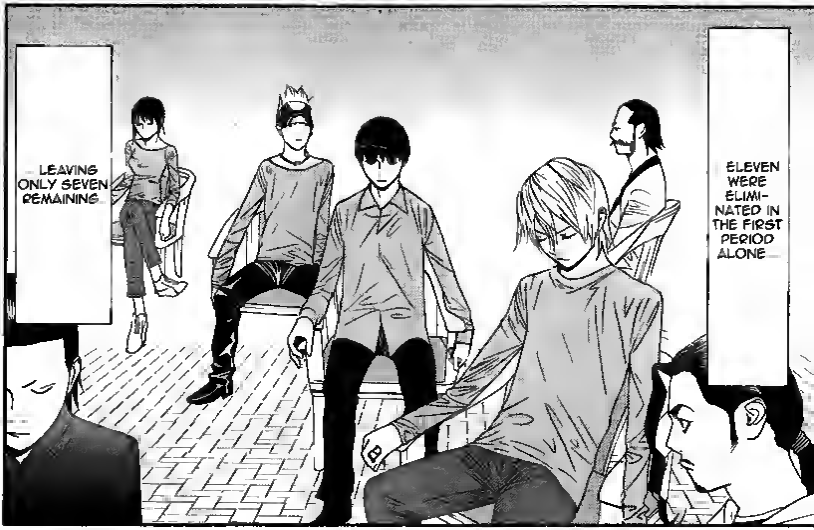
The Losers
Akira Tsumura (Shades)
Tatsuji Wada (Freelancer)
Kenji Ikezu (Plaid Jumper)
Yukari Tajima (Eyebrows)
Yuuji Fukunaga (The Thief)
Makoto Maeda (Ami)

EIGHTEEN PLAYERS WENT INTO A PRACTICE GAME, BUT...
The Terrifying Truth About "Musical Chairs"...
FOR REASONS I CAN ONLY GUESS, THE MAIN GAME FOR THE FOURTH ROUND IS MUSICAL CHAIRS.


LEAVING ONLY SEVEN REMAINING
ELEVEN WERE ELIMINATED IN THE FIRST PERIOD ALONE

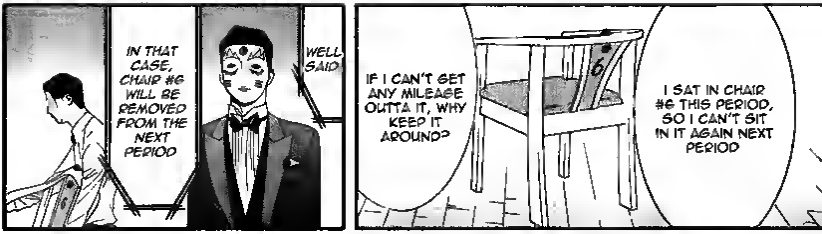
THAT'S RIGHT
YOU'RE SAYING THIS ISN'T AN ATHLETIC COMPETITION AT ALL, BUT A STRATEGY GAME INSTEAD?
STRATESY?

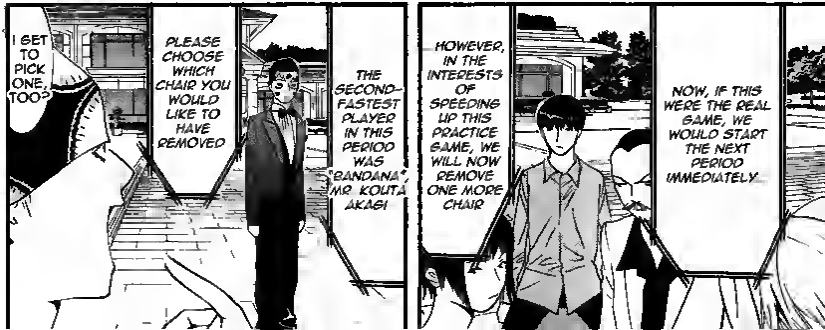
THE TOP THREE WILL GET SPECIAL BONUSES IN THE REAL GAME...
FUKUNAGA, YOU'RE A GENIUS!
I GET IT NOW!
Mmm, mmm, mmm!
JUST LISTEN FOR A MOMENT

O-OKAY
...SO MAKE DAMN SURE AKI-YAMA'S ONE OF THEM.
THAT, DEAR PLAYERS, IS FOR THE "LEADER" TO DECIDE.
...BUT WHICH ONE DO WE GET RID OF?
IN THE REAL GAME, WE WOULD REDUCE THE NUMBER OF CHAIRS BY ONE AT THIS POINT...
WE'RE ALREADY DOWN TO ONLY SEVEN PLAYERS!
...THE PLAYER WHO TAKES THEIR SEAT THE FASTEST IS DECLARED THE LEADER.
SINCE THIS IS A PRACTICE GAME, THE SIMPLE ANSWER IS...
WHO ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?
LEA-DER?
NOW, PLEASE CHOOSE WHICH CHAIR YOU WOULD LIKE TO HAVE REMO-VED.
WHEN YOU PUT IT LIKE THAT, IT'S GOTTA BE
OH, YEAH!
IN THIS FIRST PERIOD, THE PLAYER WHO TOOK THEIR SEAT BEFORE ANYONE ELSE WAS "FORELOCK", MR. EIICHI OHTSUKA.

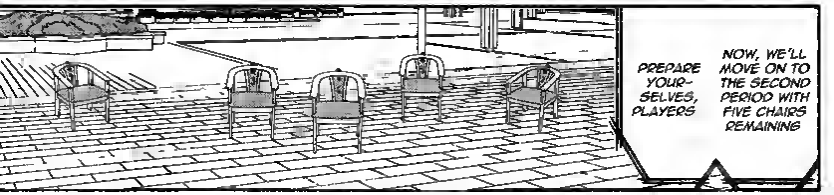
CHAIR #6.

AND WHY DO YOU CHOOSE THAT CHAIR?
AIN'T IT OBVI-OUS?
IT'S 'CUZ OF THE RULE THAT SAYS YOU CAN'T SIT IN THE SAME CHAIR TWICE IN A ROW.

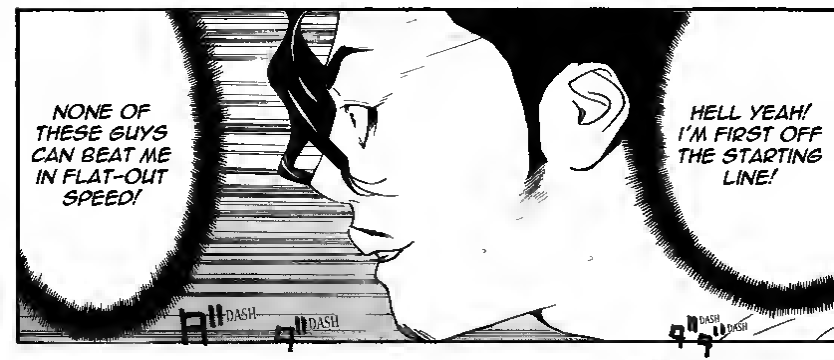

I SAT IN CHAIR #6 THIS PERIOD, SO I CAN'T SIT IN IT AGAIN NEXT PERIOD
IF I CAN'T GET ANY MILEAGE OUTTA IT, WHY KEEP IT AROUND?
WELL SAID.
IN THAT CASE, CHAIR #6 WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE NEXT PERIOD

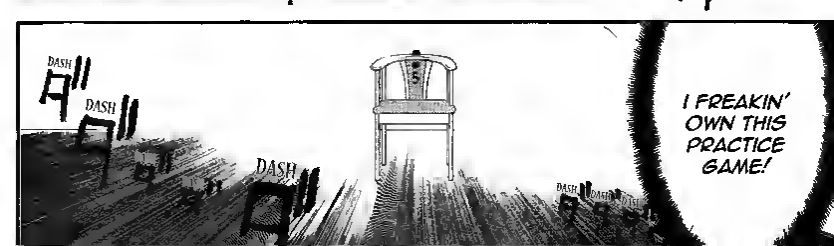

NOW, IF THIS WERE THE REAL GAME, WE WOULD START THE NEXT PERIOD IMMEDIATELY...
HOWEVER, IN THE INTERESTS OF SPEEDING UP THIS PRACTICE GAME, WE WILL NOW REMOVE ONE MORE CHAIR
THE SECOND-FASTEST PLAYER IN THIS PERIOD WAS "BANDANA", MR. KOUTA AKAGI
PLEASE CHOOSE WHICH CHAIR YOU WOULD LIKE TO HAVE REMOVED
I GET TO PICK ONE, TOO?

IN THAT CASE, CHAIR #1 WILL BE REMOVED AS WELL.
THAT'S THE CHAIR I SAT IN!
THEN I CHOOSE CHAIR #1, OBVI-OUSLY!


PREPARE YOUR-SELVES, PLAYERS
NOW, WE'LL MOVE ON TO THE SECOND PERIOD WITH FIVE CHAIRS REMAINING

DING
DING
DING
DING
DING
DASH


NONE OF THESE GUYS CAN BEAT ME IN FLAT-OUT SPEED!
HELL YEAH! I'M FIRST OFF THE STARTING LINE!
DASH
DASH
DASH
DASH


DASH
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DASH
DASH
I FREAKIN' OWN THIS PRACTICE GAME!

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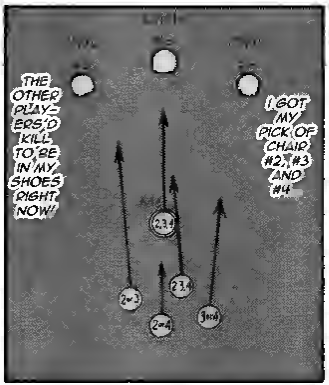
ふら DRIFT
OUTTA MY WAY! GAME IN PROGRESS HERE!
HEY, DION'T YOUR MOM EVER TELL YOU NOT TO PLAY IN TRAF-FIC?
'S...
...'SCUSE ME...
LOOK OUT!
WHA AAA AAA!
SCREEEEECH!
HUH?
DASH
DASH
DASH
LESS TALKING, MORE RUNNING, AM I RIGHT?
HEY, HEY!
DASH
DASH
DASH
DASH
DASH
DASH

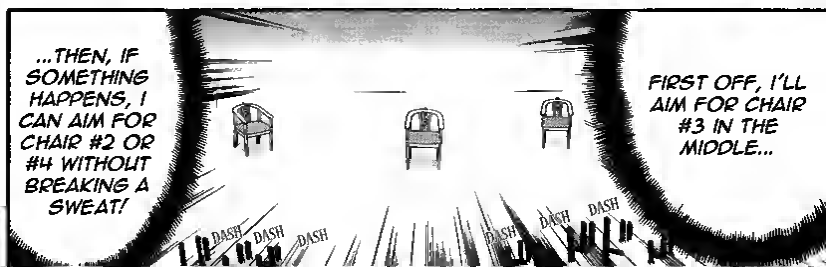
HEY!
WAIT A FREAKIN' MINUTE HERE!
THE PLAYERS WHO HAVEN'T TAKEN A SEAT, FORELOCK AND MUSHROOM, ARE NOW ELIMINATED!
TIME'S UP!
THERE'S NOTHING IN THE RULES AGAINST IT AS LONG AS IT DOESN'T INVOLVE VIOLENCE, EXTRAS MAY DO AS THEY LIKE
"GETTING IN THE WAY" IS PERFECTLY ACCEPTABLE
I WOULDA WON IF SHE HADN'T GOTTEN IN MY WAY!
THAT DIDN'T COUNT!
B-BUT THAT...
HOWEVER, MR. FORELOCK'S RECKLESS CHARGE MIGHT HAVE BEEN QUITE A DIFFERENT STORY
INDEED ALL SHE DID WAS WANDER AIMLESSLY ONTO THE RACETRACK
I DUNNO ABOUT YOU, BUT I WOULDN'T EXACTLY CALL WHAT SHE DID "VIOLENT"

SEE, NAO?
DIDN'T I TELL YOU THIS WAS A STRATEGY GAME?
THIS GAME ISN'T DECIDED BY JUST THE PLAYERS ...
...IT'S DECIDED BY HOW THEY USE THE EXTRAS.
YEAH ...
DEFEATED PLAYERS LOSE THEIR PLAYER STATUS AND BECOME EXTRAS.
WHEN THE RESULTS WERE ANNOUNCED, THE LEADERS WERE WHITE SUIT AND AKIYAMA.
THEY EACH CHOSE A CHAIR TO REMOVE, AND THE REMAINING FIVE PLAYERS BEGAN THE NEXT ROUND OF THE PRACTICE GAME WITH ONLY THREE CHAIRS LEFT.
THE ONLY TWO PLAYERS WHO CAN TAKE ANY OF THE THREE REMAINING SEATS ARE AKIYAMA AND WHITE SUIT.
WHICH MEANS
SHUF
SHUF
...WHITE SUIT IS GOING DOWN.

DASH
DASH
DING
DING
DING
DING


THE OTHER PLAYERS'D KILL TO BE IN MY SHOES RIGHT NOW!
I GOT MY PICK OF CHAIR #2, #3 AND #4
2nd
2nd
2nd
3rd

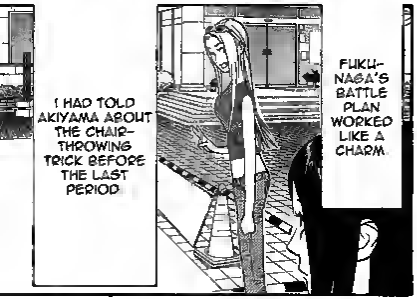
HEH HEH! I GOT THE FASTEST START... I'M IN THE LEAD!


...THEN, IF SOMETHING HAPPENS, I CAN AIM FOR CHAIR #2 OR #4 WITHOUT BREAKING A SWEAT!
FIRST OFF, I'LL AIM FOR CHAIR #3 IN THE MIDDLE...
DASH
DASH
DASH
DASH
DASH
DASH

HEH... THAT TRICK ONLY WORKS ONCE!
SKID
SKID
URUU
!!
AT THIS RATE, CHAIR #4 IS...
I MANAGED TO CHANGE COURSE FOR CHAIR #4 ALMOST WITHOUT SLOWING DOWN!
DASH
DASH
DASH
DASH
DASH
DASH
DASH
GR
AB
HUH?
たったったっ
tap tap tap

AAAAAAAAAAH!
ALLEY-OOP!
TOSS
ブン
UMPH!
THUD
ス
!!
HUP!
FLIP
ハシ
!?
!!
TIME'S UP!

WHAT?

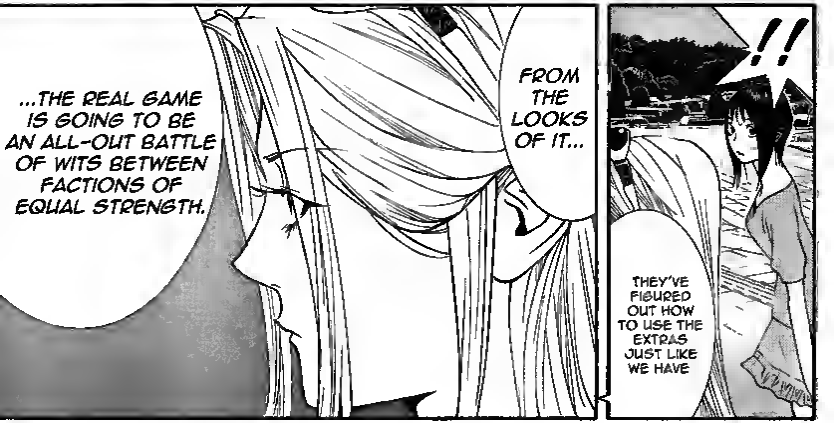

I HAD TOLD AKIYAMA ABOUT THE CHAIR-THROWING TRICK BEFORE THE LAST PERIOD
FUKU-NAGA'S BATTLE PLAN WORKED LIKE A CHARM

YEAH!
AND WITH THAT, THE THREE SEATED PLAYERS ARE HEREBY DECLARED THE WINNERS OF THIS PRACTICE GAME!

THE RESULTS CAUGHT ME A LITTLE OFF-GUARD
STILL...

AKIYAMA WAS NO SURPRISE...
...BUT NO MATTER HOW I LOOKED AT IT, I COULDN'T IMAGINE THE OTHER TWO WINNERS, YOKOYA AND SHORTROR, BEATING AKAGI TO THOSE CHAIRS.
!
I BET YOU'RE WONDERING HOW THOSE TWO WON, AREN'T YOU?
!!
THEY USED OUR STRATEGY, DOWN TO THE LETTER.
AS FOR ME, I SAW EXACTLY WHAT THEY DID.
YOU WERE PROBABLY TOO BUSY PULLING OFF OUR BATTLE PLAN TO NOTICE, BUT...

..WHILE ROBES RAN UP TO CHAIR #3 AND THREW IT TO SHORTBOB.
CHUBBY RAN UP TO CHAIR #2 AND PASSED IT TO YOKOYA...


...THE REAL GAME IS GOING TO BE AN ALL-OUT BATTLE OF WITS BETWEEN FACTIONS OF EQUAL STRENGTH.
FROM THE LOOKS OF IT...
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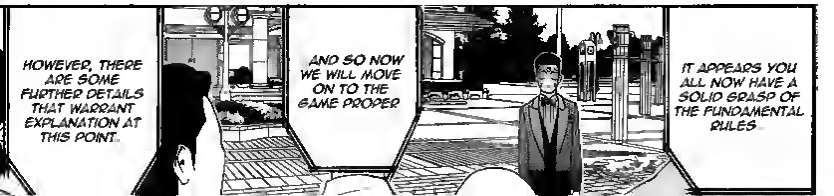
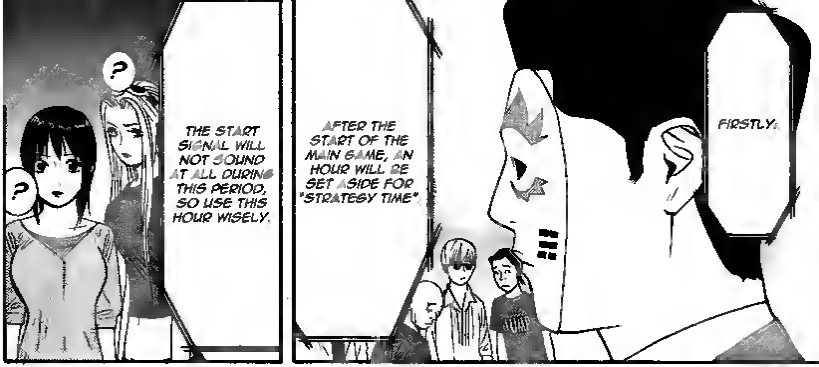
THEY'VE FIGURED OUT HOW TO USE THE EXTRAS JUST LIKE WE HAVE


HOWEVER, THERE ARE SOME FURTHER DETAILS THAT WARRANT EXPLANATION AT THIS POINT.
AND SO NOW WE WILL MOVE ON TO THE GAME PROPER.
IT APPEARS YOU ALL NOW HAVE A SOLID GRASP OF THE FUNDAMENTAL RULES.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THE START SIGNAL WILL NOT SOUND AT ALL DURING THIS PERIOD, SO USE THIS HOUR WISELY.
AFTER THE START OF THE MAIN GAME, AN HOUR WILL BE SET ASIDE FOR "STRATEGY TIME"
FIRSTLY,

THE GAME WILL START WITH TWENTY-FIVE CHAIRS.
AND SECONDLY,

I BELIEVE YOU WILL FIND THAT IS NOT THE CASE.
THAT'S WAY TOO MANY CHAIRS FOR ONLY EIGHTEEN PLAYERS!
WHAAA? TWENTY-FIVE?
!?

UNLIKE IN THE PRACTICE GAME, THESE TWENTY-FIVE CHAIRS WILL NOT BE LINED UP NICE AND NEAT WHERE EVERYONE CAN SEE THEM...
AS A MATTER OF FACT, YOU'LL PROBABLY WISH THERE WERE MORE

...THEY WILL BE SCATTERED ACROSS THE ENTIRE ISLAND.
IN-STEAD...
IN SHORT, THE FIRST STEP IN THIS GAME OF MUSICAL CHAIRS WILL BE TO SEARCH THE ISLAND FOR AS MANY OF THESE CHAIRS AS POSSIBLE.
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DON'T TAKE THIS FOR SOME MERE PARTY GAME
AHA HA HA
AND WHY YOU HAVE ONE HOUR FOR "STRATEGY TIME"
THAT IS WHY THERE ARE TWENTY-FIVE CHAIRS...

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